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With Complete Biographical Sketches
of Each Member*

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THE BADGE OF HONOR



Foreword

POLICEMEN claim no special credit as a class, nor do they seek undeserved eulogy. In the last analysis every individual policeman must stand on his own merits as a man. Yet, of necessity, the police department, as an organization, must play an important part in the life of every municipality. The police constitute a semi-military order, the members of which are pledged to the enforcement of the laws and the general protection of public interests. To succeed at all they must be big, brave, and strong of body; to succeed entirely they must be clean of soul.

Unappalled by fear, and undeterred by shame, the ideal police officer can make the city a better dwelling place.

A policeman's badge is a noble emblem, because, like the guarding shield of a knight, it stands for brave and honest chivalry. An officer's sacred trust is the defense of the public. Property rights are in his care, strangers look to him for courteous guidance, the old and weak seek his help, women and children appeal to him for protection from insult and harm, he may stay the hand raised in cruelty against animals, or bring organized charity to the aid of suffering fellowmen.

To check crime is the primary duty of a policeman, and is more to the credit of an officer than to arrest a criminal. It is only when a crime has been committed or cannot be prevented, that the offender must be arrested.

A policeman's duties demand the exercise of all manly qualities, not least of which are honesty and common sense. Police honor

requires an officer to encourage peace. Club and weapons should be used for defense, never for provocation.

A policeman should know the laws he is called upon to enforce, and, first of all, he should obey those laws himself.

Right conduct in the discharge of his duties will win for every police officer the prize of a clear conscience, self-respect, and an old age free from regret.

Society is still based on the supremacy of the law. Every man is bound to obedience and punishable for disobedience, by living within the jurisdiction of laws he avails himself of their protection; at the same time he has the means of knowing the laws, and cannot be excused on account of his ignorance of them. This volume is dedicated to the men who are the outward symbols of law and order—the “bluecoats” of our city streets! They are as worthy of honor as any in uniform.

It is not fair to keep all our praise for those who wear the uniforms of firemen and soldiers and either forget or abuse the policeman. The fireman dies mid the cheers of thousands—and he deserves them. The soldier dies on the battle-field in a blaze of glory while the world looks on to praise; and women weep over the monument erected to his memory—and justly so. The policeman dies by an assassin’s bullet, alone, and in the dark of night.

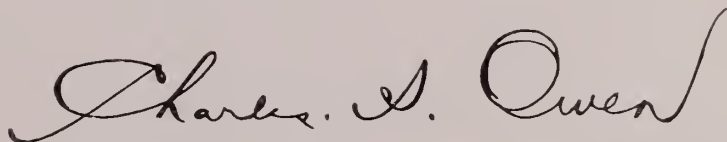
Citizens! Remember that he dies for you!

Why is it that the policeman—hired and paid by the citizens of our cities to protect their lives, properties and families, and who risks his life every minute and hour of the day and night in a fight with a murderer, burglar, robber or madman; or in stopping runaway horses, rescuing people from drowning or from burning buildings—does not receive your help, your assistance, when he is engaged in a life and death fight with your enemy, and God knows it is seldom that the poor policeman asks for it.

This is the policeman as he is usually found. He may be rough in manner and action—some of them are; but, as a class, they are the most faithful and tender-hearted men in the world. The average policeman digs into his pocket to help a lost or hungry child as a matter of course; and he who has dried the tear of a child or comforted the helpless “has a nobler mission, far, than the master of a senate, or the finder of a star.”

No wild night of winter is too bitter, nor any blistering heat of summer intense enough to prevent the police from protecting your lives and property. HONOR TO WHOM HONOR IS DUE!

This modest volume, which is dedicated to the men who are the outward symbols of Law and Order, is a scant tribute to the importance of their work. It is their duty to preserve our complex social organism from physical violence. No more important duty rests on the citizen than to lighten their burden by a strict spirit of the law. The police departments of our municipalities do not create themselves. They are made necessary by the individual shortcomings of our citizenship. And if this little volume will help to arouse a genuine respect in the breasts of the men and women of Rochester for their blue-coated guardians its mission will have been fully accomplished.

A large, elegant handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Charles A. Owen". The signature is written in dark ink and occupies the center of the lower half of the page.

Commissioner of Public Safety.

HIRAM H. EDGERTON

HIRAM H. Edgerton, Mayor of the City of Rochester, is a self-made man in the best sense of the term. He was born at Belfast, Alleghany County, of a sturdy stock, the Edgerton family being among the pioneers who helped to settle Western New York, and develop the great resources of this section of the Empire State. In his early boyhood he attended the country schools, being a diligent student and a helpful worker in his home. He was of a thoughtful disposition, and early exhibited that independence of character which later was to make him a force among men.

The father of Mayor Edgerton was an extensive lumber-dealer, and the boy was carefully trained under his guidance. In the lumber camps, and the rough surroundings of that life, he was disciplined to control himself, while the outdoor exercise, and vigorous manner of living, helped build up a strong and robust constitution.

He attended the public schools and high school of Rochester, diligently pursuing the quest of an education, until the death of his father, which occurred in 1867, and which left the young man to shoulder the responsibilities of a lumber business. This he did successfully, although he had nothing but his indomitable will and absolute integrity to back him up in the enterprise. In 1880 he disposed of the lumber business, and engaged in contracting and building, and many of the finest buildings in Western New York are monuments to his ability in this line. He has had contracts for building fifteen churches, several libraries, hundreds of residences, and many costly commercial structures.

Mr. Edgerton has always taken a prominent part in public affairs. He was a member of the Board of Education from 1872 to 1876, and for two years was president of the board. He was president of the commission in charge of the construction of the one million dollar East Side Trunk Sewer. In 1900 he became president of the Common



Very truly yours
Hiram R. Edgerton

Council, and presided over the deliberations of that body with dignity and marked ability for eight years. In 1907 he was elected Mayor of the City of Rochester by a handsome plurality, and in 1909 was re-elected by the largest majority ever given to a Mayoralty candidate in the city of Rochester. His administration, while in a great measure conservative, has been one of performance, and the things that he has done for Rochester has stamped him as one of its greatest constructive Mayors.

During his term of office the city has expanded in every direction, a condition which has been encouraged and helped by a broad-minded and progressive city administration. Many improvements have been made in every branch of the city service, including the parks, which have become one of Rochester's very best assets; the police department; the re-organization of the building department; very material improvements to the water works system; the building of a beautiful bridge across the Genesee River at Central Avenue, and the reduction of street car rates to Charlotte and return. Mayor Edgerton's practical knowledge of affairs has enabled him to save the city a considerable sum in the cost of water meters. He has improved Convention Hall, and secured Triangle Park as part of its surroundings; made provision for additional and better bath-houses at the public playgrounds, and in a short time the unsightly Pike's Quarry will be turned into an attractive and beautiful park.

One of the greatest achievements, which Mayor Edgerton's administration has accomplished, has been the purchase of the site of the old State Industrial School, from the State of New York, upon very favorable terms. The Mayor went before the State Legislature, and vigorously opposed the possible use of that property as a State Penal Institution, and since it has been secured by the city, he has been vigorous in seeing that it be transformed into a most attractive park, where the people of that section of the city will find room for amusement and entertainment, and where, during two weeks of the year, a Rochester Industrial Exposition will be held, illustrating Rochester's growth and development.

Active steps have also been taken by the present city administration to improve the dangerous and unsanitary condition of the Genesee river, which receives the city's sewerage, and empties a filthy and unhealthful stream into Lake Ontario. Plans for the scientific and sanitary treatment of the city's sewerage are under way, and work on the construction of a modern sewerage disposal plant is now being carried on.

Mayor Edgerton has always been a Republican in politics, although never a narrow partisan. He is a member of the Frank R. Lawrence Lodge, F. and A. M.; Hamilton Chapter, R. A. M.; Monroe Commandery, K. T., and the Shrine; and B. P. O. of Elks.





yours truly
Charles S. Owen

CHARLES S. OWEN

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC SAFETY

CCOURTESY, kindness and concentration will unlock all doors, believes Charles S. Owen, Commissioner of Public Safety of Rochester, N. Y. This motto adorns the walls of the general office of the Department of Public Safety and occupies a prominent position upon the desk of the Commissioner's office. The achievements of Charles S. Owen are sufficient evidence of the soundness of his belief in this motto.

The business record of Commissioner Owen may be summed up briefly as follows: By hard work and conscientious application to business, he worked his way by stages and consecutive promotions until he became Vice-President of the firm of Moore and Beir Company, and one of its chief controlling factors. This position he held until two years ago when the responsibilities of his political office led him to resign and a few months later he withdrew from the firm amid the regrets of his co-partners and employees.

Born in Rochester, N. Y., January 7, 1869, Charles S. Owen was the second in a family of six children. His father, Wilbur F., and his mother Mary Ellen Owen, were both born in New York State. The father, a resident of Rochester nearly all his life, is connected with the firm of Smith, Beir and Gormly. His mother is dead. At the age of six he entered Grammar School No. 3, where he studied until his fifteenth year, when he left school and accepted the position of office boy with the firm of Sargent & Greenleaf, manufacturers of locks. After two years he engaged for a short time with May Brothers, nurserymen, and twenty-three years ago he went to the firm of Moore and Beir as office boy. His diligence and capability enabled him to work upward and when the firm was incorporated in 1903, he was made its Vice-President. Until 1909, when he withdrew from the firm, he remained an active factor in the management of the business, which is that of manufacturing clothing, and had done much to build up the reputation of this widely known establishment.

His achievements in business, his genial manner and universal popularity, singled him out for political honor. On February 1, 1903, within a year after his election as an officer of the firm, he was appointed a member of the Board of Supervisors to succeed Willis K. Gillette, who resigned to accept the Clerkship of the Board. At the next regular election Mr. Owen was chosen Supervisor from the Third Ward, and was re-elected in 1905. In 1907 he was elected Chairman of the Board. This important position he held until January 1, 1908, when he resigned to accept the appointment, by Mayor Edgerton, to the position of Commissioner of Public Safety. During his service as a member of the Board of Supervisors, he did much for the County's interests. It was not, however, until he undertook the duties of Commissioner of Public Safety that his splendid executive ability and shrewd business foresight became generally known. In this position, with its weighty responsibilities, Commissioner Owen has conducted his office with marked capability. To tell of his accomplishments as Commissioner of Public Safety would fill many pages, the Department comprising, as it does, the Bureau of Police, Fire, Health and Buildings.

Entering upon the duties of Commissioner, Mr. Owen began immediately to acquaint himself with existing conditions, believing that those who lead must know the way. Beginning by tours of systematic inspections of all the bureaus in his department, he obtained first-hand information which served to guide him in his after undertakings. His ready perception noted the defects and needs. Quietly he began to put into execution his carefully laid plans for improvement. At his request ordinances were enacted enabling him to regrade and augment the fire and police departments by the addition of men and apparatus. By retirements, promotions and transfers, the discipline in the various bureaus reached a stage near perfection. By his accurate business knowledge he was able to establish wide competition in bidding for the requisites in his department. By this system of retrenchment he has saved thousands of dollars to the City without sacrificing standard or quality. The fine fire houses constructed during his administration will remain a monument to his remarkable foresight and economy.

The Health Bureau and the Bureau of Buildings came in for their share of revision and improvement. Drastic laws governing the health and safety of the people have been enacted in these departments, and their rigid enforcement has made Rochester a healthful and wholesome city.

The public is gratified with the results of Commissioner Owen's endeavors. The officers and members of the various bureaus regard him as their friend. The justice of his official acts assured them that all will

receive fair treatment. By his frequent visits among them he has learned to call each by name, and his never failing presence at all large fires and great assemblages where the boys are at work, has earned for him the usual secretly, though none the less respectful title of "Show Me Owen."

Commissioner Owen has been a Director of the Masonic Temple since the inception of the plans for its erection. Has been Worshipful Master of Valley Lodge No. 109, F. and A. M.; High Priest of Hamilton Chapter No. 62, R. A. M.; a member of Monroe Commandery, K. T., and Damascus Temple of the Mystic Shrine. He has been for two terms Governor of the Masonic Club, and one year its President. He is also a member of the School Census Board, the state organization of Commissioners of Public Safety, of the Rochester Club, and Lodge No. 24, B. P. O. E.

Mr. Owen was married on the 18th day of April, 1893, to Miss Delphine A. Cragg of Rochester, and they have one daughter, Dorothy Cragg, who was born March 11, 1895.

His life record is another example of the fact that success is not a matter of genius, but is the outcome of clear judgment, experience, close application and laudable ambition.

FRANK J. HUGHES

FRANK J. Hughes, Secretary to Commissioner Owen, was born at Rochester, N. Y., July 22, 1882. His early education was received at St. Patricks Cathedral School, from which he graduated in 1896, and immediately entered the Rochester High School. Having spent two years in this institution, he entered Edick's Preparatory School from which he graduated with Academic Honors in 1899. He then took up the study of Jurisprudence in the office of C. D. Kichel for a period of two years.

Having a strong inclination for the applied sciences, he entered the Renssalaer Polytechnic Institute. Shortly afterwards he accepted a position with the Engineering Department of the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R. His talent and ability were soon recognized and a position was offered him on the Engineering Department of the City of Rochester. His standing at the Civil Service Examination entitled him to a responsible charge in the Water Works Department. Here again he showed marked talent and ability and was in consequence offered the Secretary and Deputy Commissionership in the Department of Public Safety presided over by Commissioner Charles S. Owen. Mr. Hughes enjoys the well-merited confidence and respect of his fellow citizens.

He is one of the popular young men in educational and social, as well as political circles. He is a member and Past-President of the Phi Rho Sigma Fraternity, member of the Wahco Tribe I. O. of R. M., member of the Genesee Camp M. W. of A., present Grand Knight of Rochester Council Knights of Columbus, member of the Vega Caravan Order of the Alhambra, President of the Union Club of Rochester, member of the Rochester Yacht Club, and one of the directors of the Humane Society.



Very truly yours
Frank J. Hughes

JOSEPH M. QUIGLEY

CHIEF OF POLICE

THE City of Rochester is fortunate in having a Chief of Police possessing intelligence, high character and great native ability. In Joseph M. Quigley is found a man of true worth, forceful but modest, and ever dominated by common sense.

He comes of fine Irish stock, the son of the late James Quigley and Mary Lacey, of sainted memory. His parents early sought asylum in America, reaching the United States by way of Canada, where Joseph was born Nov. 18, 1858; the family coming on to reside at Lima, N. Y., before the boy was one year old.

What a debt this country owes to the Irish emigrants! And what a loving mother America has been to them! Father "Tom" Burke, in his oration on America and Ireland said: "There is another nation that understands Ireland, whose statesmen have always spoken words of brave encouragement, of tender sympathy, and manly hope for Ireland in her dark days, and that nation is the United States of America! Recognizing this truth the Irish have always sought and found welcome here. The infusion of their blood has quickened our national life, for it is an acknowledged fact that the children born in America of Irish parents are not Irish, but Americans, of the best type, men quick of thought and action, and recognized as the highest production of our age. An Irish man is a good man in his own country, but in the Irish-American the race finds its finest flower. Daniel O'Connell once said: "Yes, among the nations of the earth, Ireland stands number one in the physical strength of her sons and in the beauty and purity of her daughters. Ireland, land of my forefathers, how my mind expands, and my spirit walks abroad in something of majesty, when I contemplate the high qualities, inestimable virtues, and true purity and piety and religious fidelity of the inhabitants of your green fields and productive mountains." Chief Quigley, and all Irish-Americans, can well be proud of their lineage, for it is noble. Truly spoke that other impassioned orator; "If I were a painter, I would make the canvas eloquent

with the deeds of the bravest people who ever lived, whose proud spirit no power can ever conquer, and whose loyalty and devotion to the hopes of free government no tyrant can ever crush. And I would write under the picture, 'Ireland.' If I were a poet, I would melt the world to tears with the pathos of my song. I would touch the heart of humanity with the threnody of Ireland's wrongs and Erin's woes. I would weave the shamrock and the rose into garlands of glory for the Emerald Isle, the land of martyrs and memories, the cradle of heroes, the nursery of liberty."

And in Rochester, "merit is the measure of the man." In the choice of Joseph M. Quigley as Chief of Police. He has lived here all his life since ten years of age, and his days have been well spent. For twenty years he has been a faithful public servant. From 1891 to 1907 he was an expert, first in the Dairy Commission, and later in the Department of Agriculture of the State of New York. In 1907 he was appointed Commissioner of Charities and Corrections of the City of Rochester by Mayor James G. Cutler, serving in this capacity till his appointment as Chief of Police by Commissioner of Public Safety Charles E. Owen; entering upon his duties as Chief, Jan. 1, 1909. When in the employ of the State he proved himself a man especially fitted for public office and served the people loyally and well. As Commissioner of Charities he brought his department to a high plane of efficiency, and he exhibited a tender consideration for the poor and unfortunate which showed that his heart was ruled by the teachings of the Master. Since he has become chief he has stilled all contentions among the police, and by rare tact and judgment induced the rank and file to pull together for the common good. He is in sympathetic touch with the entire department, ever ready to defend his men, and commanding their allegiance and respect. His wholesome honesty is like sunshine and he has stimulated the life and growth of police honor. The police are busier in better ways and the city is a better dwelling place because of Chief Quigley. The key to his character is found in a recent report he made to Commissioner Owen in which it appeared that in the month of March, 1911, there were 10,150 "police services rendered, other than arrests, against 6,323 for the same month in 1910. Chief Quigley rejoices at this saying: "I am pleased to conclude from these figures that crime is decreasing in our city and that attention to details in police work is growing as indicated by the extraordinary increase in the number of services performed other than arrests, all of which is very gratifying." At last the police officers are realizing that it is more to their credit to prevent crime than to make arrests, and that acts of mercy, kindness and necessity performed for the community are the greatest services which can be rendered.



Yours truly
J. M. Quigley

Of course Chief Quigley could not have succeeded so well, did he not possess a scholarly mind trained in our public and parochial schools, as well as a natural love of learning which has daily added to his education. Then, too, his conduct is strengthened and guided by the same religious principles which have led two members of his family to devote their lives to the great Mother Church where both have reached high rank, his brother being Archbishop of Chicago.

In 1884 Joseph M. Quigley married Anna Sullivan, and four children have blessed their union; three sons, Raymond, Harold, and Gerald, and one daughter, Mary, now sister Anna Vincent of the Order of St. Joseph.

Chief Quigley is a member of the B. P. O. Elks, the sons of Veterans, the C. M. B. A. and other local organizations.

There is one last, best truth to be said in praise of Chief Quigley, which is the finest thing that can be said of any man—he is a big-hearted comrade and friend. A wide, and ever widening, circle of his fellows greet him with the smile of genuine affection. He is beloved and popular because he deserves to be. It is not accidental.

“Friendship is no plant of hasty growth. Though rooted in esteem’s deep soil, the slow and gradual culture of kind intercourse must bring it to perfection.”

MICHAEL J. ZIMMERMAN

INSPECTOR OF POLICE

HANGING in the desk of Inspector Michael Zimmerman is a little old bronze cross. The arms on one side bear these words: "König Und Vater Land." The reverse reads: "Für Die Jahre 1813 und 1814."

This cross was won by the inspector's grandfather at the Battle of Waterloo. He had fought with Napoleon, as lieutenant colonel, in the Russian campaign, had entered Moscow with the emperor and had survived the horrors of the returning march.

A brave sight he had been in his brilliant uniform with its great epaulets and shako, on leaving for the conquest of Russia. Home he came emaciated, in rags, his feet had frozen and he tottered on crutches to the arms of his loved ones.

His dauntless spirit was not subdued. For generations his fathers had been soldiers, officers in the armies of Bavaria. So when Germany awoke he was found among the heroes fighting for her. How well he fought and how bravely, the cross he won with Blucher at Waterloo mutely tells the story.

Inspector Michael Zimmerman was not born in Germany, but in Rochester. His father, George Zimmerman, came here from the old land at the age of ten years with a sister who had recently married; and his mother, of a family which had given many leaders to the church of Germany, was brought here from across the Atlantic at the age of five. The inspector was born on July 19, 1858. In the district school of Gates and the parochial schools of Holy Family and SS. Peter and Paul's Churches he received a thorough education.

In his youth the inspector learned the trade of carpenter. He was even then beyond the height and size of ordinary men, but nimble on his feet and daring to the last degree. His father was a maltster and the son after a time entered the same employ, leaving it only to begin his life work, as a patrolman on the police force on April 1, 1882. His first



Robert Bulley
M. J. Zimmerman

beat was on Lyell Avenue, then on the outskirts of the city and dimly lighted at night. Six years afterwards, on July 6, 1888, he was made sergeant, and on February 2, 1891, he was advanced to lieutenant. As such he served with great credit to July 1, 1900, when he was promoted to his captaincy, and assigned to command in the Lyell Avenue Precinct, where he had seen his initial service. On June 4, 1902, he was transferred to headquarters as captain of Precinct 1 and acting inspector of police with the authority of chief of police in the absence or disability of the chief. On June 19, 1908, he was transferred to the command of Precinct 2 and on December 15, 1908, he was promoted to inspector of police, with rank next to the chief. The order became effective on January 1, 1909. This responsible position he still occupies.

Patrolman, sergeant, lieutenant, captain, inspector—he has remained the same. A man of Herculean frame and mighty physical strength, in mind and character and vision he has been big always; and the biggest of all in him is the heart that beats in his great bosom. His one passion has been the police department; for it he will spare neither himself nor another. His ideals are for it. He has his dreams, and is realizing them, here a little and there a little, no detail too small to serve the great purpose. For himself and the force his creed may be summed up in one word, "Efficiency." There is not a man in the department but knows these things. He is as a father to them. He is strict and yet can overlook a stumble or mistake. He can give the eye of displeasure and the word that cheeks. But when the door is closed so that he may talk man to man, many a one has gone out from him with dim eyes. He can be stern and condemn, but no sting is left or resentment stirred, for throughout the force it is known that when troubles come the big inspector is on his men's side and woe betide the man who tries to wrong the least of them.

The inspector, inheriting much from the lieutenant colonel who won his cross at Waterloo, insists that its members recognize the fact that the police department is a quasi-military institution. He loves the sight of a well-set-up man, neat in his uniform, in manner courteous to all. He will have no slouching about him or gruffness and even the answering of telephones in precinct stations he insists shall be done politely. The attractive uniforms which the men wear, patterned after those of the metropolitan police, with improvements in accordance with the inspector's ideas, owe their adoption largely to him. He is as solicitous for the men's comfort as for their appearance.

The city has grown since April 1, 1882, when Inspector Zimmerman first donned the uniform of a patrolman. The federal census of two years before gave the population as 89,363 persons. To-day its area is

expanded and the population is placed at 220,000. Then the police force consisted of a chief and captain and eighty-four policemen, including six detectives, two roundsmen and three office men. To-day it numbers 306 officers and men. It has kept step with every advance, adapting itself to changing conditions, meeting each problem as it came, and to-day is regarded as second to none in the country. In effecting many of these improvements, the inspector had an important part.

Under his advice the most modern police methods have been installed. The keeping by card system of complete records of crimes committed, criminals apprehended and accurate books of record, the police daily bulletin which distributed to each officer keeps the department thoroughly informed, the installing of the Bertillon system of measurements, revision of the rules and general reorganization of the department are among the items for increased efficiency suggested by him. Three other important innovations may be regarded as largely due to his appreciation of the needs of an enlarged city. He advised the creating of a mounted squad, now regarded as an important arm of the service and increased in numbers by Commissioner Owen, the organization of a motorcycle squad by which a rider is kept at each precinct station ready for a hurry call to the scene of accident or crime, and the formation of a traffic squad. Instituted by former Commissioner Gilman, the traffic squad first consisted of two men, but so necessary has it become and so effective has been its work that its numbers have been increased to seven.

The inspector does not admit that he even suggested these things; the records tell the story. As for him, he says: "The force is a unit, and works as a unit. What we do—what any one of us does—is done by the department. It is easy to accomplish things when the commissioner is so alert and able as Commissioner Owen is and with a chief so sagacious as Chief Quigley. It is harmony that makes a police force effective—in Rochester, harmony begins at the top."

Inspector Zimmerman has been married twice. His first wife, Anna Boehn, with whom he was united in 1878, bore him two sons, John, detective for the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburgh Railroad, and Edward J., who died at the age of twenty-one years. Some years after the death of Mrs. Zimmerman, the inspector on November 19, 1907, married Elizabeth C. O'Brien. They reside in a delightful home at 589 Maple Street. He is a member of the Bavarian Society, Elks, C. M. B. A., Woodmen of the World and Police Benevolent Association.



HERMAN RUSS

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CAPTAIN Herman Russ, of the Sixth Precinct, is the senior in rank of the six precinct commanders in the police department. But he is neither old in years or appearance and can boast that since the time of his appointment on the force he has never been reported sick, and has lost only one day's pay. The loss of pay was due to his attendance at a patrolman's funeral.

The captain was born at Fort Plain, N. Y., on January 15, 1859. He is an American. His father and grandfather were born in this country, but beyond them the family was German. He is proud that this is the land of his nativity, and that German blood is in his veins. In the schools of his home town he was given an excellent education and when old enough began work as a clerk in a grocery store and later entered his father's shop to learn the trade of springmaker and blacksmith.

In May 1879, he came to Rochester to work in the Cunningham Carriage Factory and soon was known as one of the best skilled mechanics in the firm's employ. He received his appointment as patrolman on the police force on June 29, 1891, Mayor William Carroll, James D. Casey and Jacob A. Hoekstra being the police commissioners. Eight years afterwards, on February 13, 1899, he was promoted to a lieutenant by the commissioners, Mayor George E. Warner, James D. Casey and Charles T. Chapin. On July 1, 1900, Com. James G. Cutler, in Mayor George A. Carnahan's administration advanced him to captain.

Captain Russ's first command was in the old Second Precinct, which comprised the southeastern section of the city. Next he was ordered to the old Third Precinct, succeeding Captain Baird who had been transferred to headquarters. Six months later Captain Baird suffered a stroke of paralysis and Captain Russ succeeded him.

The next transfer given Captain Russ was the present Fourth Precinct, where he succeeded Captain Furtherer, now retired. There he remained three years and four months, when he was ordered to the Fifth Precinct, succeeding Captain Ryan. For three years and one month he was in the Fifth Precinct, and then on June 9, 1908, he followed Captain Sherman in the command of the Sixth Precinct, his present charge.

In his many years of service as patrolman, lieutenant and captain he has served in every precinct of the city, and in none were his qualities as an official or a man unappreciated. By faithful and intelligent attention to his duty in every grade he earned the confidence of his superiors and the community. His friends and admirers are many.

Captain Russ is a member of the Masonic Fraternity and a Knight of the Maccabees and has membership also in the Police Benevolent Association. On May 29, 1883, in the days before he became a member of the police force he was united in marriage with Marian S. Cooper. Their union has been blessed by one child to whom was given the name of Bessie H. The home of Captain Russ is at 129 Clifton Street.



JAMES E. RYAN

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CAPTAIN James E. Ryan, of the Second Precinct, carries lightly the many years of arduous service he has given in the police department of the City of Rochester. A quiet man who moves easily and without fuss, his step is light and springy at the call to action and up to the surface comes great energy and command held hidden and in reserve. A more modest official could not be; or a man more unostentatious both before the public and in his dealings with his men. Yet as a police captain he stands for capacity. To natural ability he has added the fruits of long experience.

Captain Ryan was born in this city on March 21, 1854, of worthy Irish parents who some years before his birth came to Rochester from their old home in Ireland, a pleasant hamlet in Kings County and about thirty miles from the city of Dublin. He is an American and is proud of it, and is proud also of the Irish blood that flows through his veins. He was educated here, first at Public School 9 and later at the well remembered Vosburgh Academy.

The future captain of police did not continue with a business course or seek employment in a business house, but entering the employ of the Gleason Tool Company he became in time a journeyman machinist. After ten years in its employ he became a member of the police force.

His appointment as a patrolman was made on October 2, 1881. The city in those days was divided into four precincts, but all authority was then centered in the old City Hall and from it all patrolmen went out on their beats. He was detailed to the First Precinct, doing duty along Main and Front Streets and at two periods along West Avenue. The Police Commission, under which he was appointed a patrolman, consisted of Mayor Cornelius R. Parsons, Jacob Howe and Frederick Zimmer. On May 7, 1890, when he was promoted to a lieutenancy the commission consisted of James D. Casey, Jacob H. Hoekstra and Cornelius R. Parsons, the last being still mayor of the city.

Faithful attention to duty and a clear head, added to a natural ability for police business, increased confidence in Lieutenant Ryan, and on May 15, 1904, he was honored by appointment as captain by Commissioner of Public Safety George A. Gilman. He was detailed to the command of the Fifth Precinct and remained there until April, 1905, when he succeeded Captain Russ in the Second Precinct, where he remained until June, 1908. His new command was Precinct Three, until transferred back to the Second Precinct in May, 1909.

Wherever Captain Ryan has served he has made many lasting friendships and won the respect of the community. This is particularly true of the Second Precinct, where he has so long been in command. He has had the ability to inspire confidence. Absolute faith in his integrity as a man and a police captain widely exists. Yet he has sought no honors; he has been content to perform his duty as best he could and in the satisfaction that it brings to find his reward.

Captain Ryan is a widower. Among the organizations of which he is a member are the K. of C., Union Club and the C. M. B. A.



WILLIAM A. STEIN

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COMMAND in the First Police Precinct, a territory including the larger part of Rochester's financial and Commercial district, where millions of dollars are invested and transactions involving hundreds of thousands take place daily and where throngs are greatest, calls for a man of strong character and marked ability.

Only by constant vigilance and by co-operation can the police work of this precinct be carried on successfully.

Captain Stein is no weakling, either physically or mentally. Commanding in stature, he also possesses a personality which impresses men. He is known as man of genial disposition, determined in character, persistent to the last degree in the search for the hidden things of crime committed and in the pursuit of criminals, and as an official of more than ordinary executive ability and tact.

He was born in this city on May 12, 1863, of parents who had come to Rochester from Hesse-Nassau, a province of Prussia, Germany, and was given an excellent education in both German and English languages. From his seventh to his thirteenth year he attended the private German school of Salem Church in Franklin Street, and later Public School No. 10. Upon the ground work obtained in those schools, he has built in the years since, thoroughness in everything.

His first employment was obtained in a crockery house and when he left it he succumbed to a fascination for railroading and worked as a locomotive fireman until he realized what slight chances he had for promotion there. His next move was to be shipping clerk for George C. Buell & Company, and he remained with this firm, in high regard until his resignation six years later to become a patrolman.

His appointment was made in 1891. He served in the First Precinct where he now commands, and on July 1, 1900, in the mayoralty of George A. Carnahan he was appointed sergeant by Commissioner of Public Safety James G. Cutler. Succeeding promotions have been rapid. Commissioner George A. Gilman in the mayoralty of Judge A. J. Rodenbeck, made him a lieutenant on August 6, 1902, assigning him to duty at headquarters. Less than three years later, on May 15, 1905, Commissioner Gilman advanced him a captaincy and gave him command of the Third Precinct in University Avenue, succeeding Captain Benedict C. Furtherer, retired. There he remained, increasing his reputation as a capable official, until on June 9, 1908, he was transferred to the First Precinct, by Commissioner Charles S. Owen, a change which is regarded as high advancement. Each rise in rank made by Captain Stein has been preceded by the passing of a Civil Service examination, his standings never being anything but exceptionally high.

Captain Stein on April 11, 1889, married Gertrude F. Stott. His complete attention and full energies are devoted to his work as a police official. He is a Woodmen of the World and has long been connected with the Police Benevolent Association.



FERDINAND A. KLUBERTANZ

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CAPTAIN Ferdinand A. Klubertanz, of the Fifth Precinct, is known widely as a man in whom, beneath a quiet and unassuming exterior there beats a heart of gold. In the department he is known as one who sees his duty clearly and from it never swerves, one fearless before all men, kind, but just.

The captain was born in Rochester on January 14, 1861, of parents who came in 1856 to this city from their native Bavaria, Germany. Their son was educated in both German and English at St. Joseph's Parochial school and to-day retains his proficiency in the language of his fathers. He learned the trade of tailor and after working several years as a journeyman, went into business for himself. After five years of proprietorship, he threw business aside and taking a civil service examination, accepted appointment as patrolman on the police force on September 3, 1885.

The Police Commission at the time of Captain Klubertanz's appointment as patrolman consisted of James D. Casey, Joseph Rosenthal and Mayor Cornelius R. Parsons. He won his sergeancy on July 1, 1900, receiving the appointment from Commissioner James G. Cutler, of the new Public Safety department, and was detailed to duty in old Precinct two. There he remained until August 6, 1902, when Commissioner George A. Gilman made his appointment as lieutenant. This was in the mayoralty of Judge A. J. Rodenbeck. The new lieutenant was assigned to duty in the Fifth Precinct, where he did excellent work. On May 14, 1904, he was shifted to headquarters by order of the commissioner, a change regarded in the light of a promotion.

Commissioner Gilman was still at the head of the Department of Public Safety when on May 28, 1905, Lieutenant Klubertanz was given his appointment as captain. But there was a new mayor, James G. Cutler, who less than five years before as Commissioner had raised the new captain from the ranks to his sergeancy. No tinge of favoritism had marked either change. In fact, every step forward that Captain Klubertanz has taken in the police department has been made after qualification by passing a civil service examination for the position sought. He has the distinction of being the first of Rochester police captains able to make such a claim.

As a man Captain Klubertanz is quiet, thoughtful, cool and steady, with a high sense of duty and an exceptional consideration for the men in his command and sympathy for the unfortunate with whom he has so frequently to deal, when they are not unworthy of sympathy or pity. He knows his precinct thoroughly, and there are few in it who can regard him as anything but their friend.

He resides at 189 Jefferson Avenue and is a prominent member of Immaculate Conception Church. He sustained a severe blow on March 31, 1910, when after many years of happy companionship with him, his wife departed from this life. He was left with three children, Zita B., Anna E. and Edward F. He is a member of the C. M. B. A., M. W. of A. and W. O. W.



SHARON L. SHERMAN

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CAPTAIN Sharon L. Sherman of the Fourth Precinct, was born in this city on February 18, 1857, the son of parents of American birth and ancestry, facts of which he is very proud. He attended Public School 14 and 16 and completed his education at Vosburgh Academy, taking a business course in the last institution.

He was young when he came out of the academy and the life of a railroad man appealed to an impetuous spirit, so for five years he worked as a locomotive fireman on the New York Central Railroad, and then changed for a similar position on the Old State Line Railroad.

Sherman became a member of the Rochester Fire Department in 1880, joining with Battalion Chief Lynch. After six years and eight months as a fire fighter, he resigned to accept appointment as patrolman on the police force. He was detailed to duty in the First Precinct and remained there until he was made lieutenant on May 28, 1894, and detailed to the Lake Avenue Precinct. After a few months he was shifted to the Third Precinct, served in several other precincts, but came back to the Third and there remained until his appointment as captain on February 1, 1907.

His first command as captain was the Sixth Precinct. In June, 1908, he was transferred to the Fourth Precinct. His section of the city is not claimed to be the easiest to handle, but Captain Sherman rules it with a steady hand. He knows neither fear nor favor, and he never asked a man to go where he would not lead. A strict disciplinarian, he has the confidence and the friendship of those under his command. Both inside and outside the department his friends are innumerable.

A passion for baseball is partially satisfied by the fact that the Eastern League grounds are now in the Fourth Precinct and the protection he can give the game is a labor of love. There was a day, before he became a fire fighter—it was in 1878—that he was a professional ball player himself. He was a first baseman for the famous Tecumsehs that season, playing his first game with the club in this city against Rochesters on Saturday, June 1, of that year. He keeps a newspaper clipping with the box score of that memorable contest, showing that he had eighteen put outs for nineteen chances. Rochester won, 7 to 3.

The Captain is exceedingly proud of that record of his as a Tecumseh and rightly considers himself something of an authority on the game. One of the proudest of his possessions is a well bound scrap book in which the newspaper accounts of ancient games in many leagues, large and small, many of them now almost forgotten, are recorded. Pictures of the stars of the past adorn the pages. Money cannot buy this treasure and only friends may look upon it.

Captain Sherman was married on April 5, 1880 to Mary J. Turner. They have their home at 3 Copeland Street. He is a Thirty-second degree Mason, being a member of Valley Lodge, and as a Shriner a member of Damascus Temple. He is also a member of Rochester Tent of Maccabees, Police Benevolent Association and New York State Patrolman's Association.



HENRY F. MCALESTER

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CAPTAIN Henry F. McAlester, of the Third Precinct, is the youngest of the six police captains of Rochester, both in years and in service, as well being their junior in rank. But he is second to none in faithfulness to duty and in pride of his work. He is highly regarded and liked, and throughout his precinct he is held in great respect.

East Avenue, University Avenue, the fine residential section of the city in which they stretch, are in his province. Here are the homes of most of Rochester's wealthiest and most influential citizens, and the commander of the police who guard their residences night and day needs to be one who to sagacity and general ability must add address. There is no doubt about Captain McAlester's fitness for his position.

Captain McAlester was born in Rochester, of Scotch-Irish parentage, his father and mother coming to this city from their native land some years before his birth. His first education was received in the district school of Gates Center; the parochial school of Holy Family Church, and later took a term of bookkeeping at Vosburgh's Academy.

He had no desire to pass his life as a bookkeeper, although he had qualified for it, but entering the employ of Mock & Company, he worked in their edge tool works for eight years, learning his trade and becoming a particularly skilled workman. This was his only civilian employment and he left the works and its bench only when appointment came, making him a patrolman on the police force, on April 2, 1889. The Police Commissioners at that time were Jacob A. Hockstra, James D. Casey and Mayor C. R. Parsons.

His appointment as sergeant was made by Commissioner James G. Cutler on July 1, 1900, when the first sub-stations were opened in the time of Mayor A. J. Rodenbeck, and he was detailed to the Fifth Precinct, under Captain Zimmerman, the present inspector of police, who obtained his captaincy at the same time. Less than four years later, on May 14, 1904, he was promoted to a lieutenantancy and sent to Precinct Four under Captain Russ, but after eight months there, was shifted to headquarters.

For three years and a half, Lieutenant McAlester was on duty at headquarters, a popular officer both with the heads of the department and the men under him. He had steadily improved his standing and as a result and in reward for faithful performance of duty he was promoted by Commissioner of Public Safety Charles S. Owen to be captain. With his appointment he succeeded Captain Ryan in the command of Precinct Three.

Captain McAlester on June 22, 1891, married Mary R. May. They have four children, Gertrude, Edna, Olive and Walter. Their home is at 266 Campbell Street. He is a member of the C. M. B. A., Roosevelt Tent of the Maccabees, Police Benevolent Association and State Police Benevolent Association.



WILLIAM H. WHALEY

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DIRECTOR OF DETECTIVES

WILLIAM H. Whaley was born at Sandusky, Ohio, June 24, 1872, and with his parents moved to this City in April, 1875, and was educated in the public schools.

Following the life of a mariner, he sailed on fishing smacks and steamships; and was a surfman in the United States life-saving service at Charlotte, N. Y., from April, 1893, until June 20, 1899, when he was appointed on the police force. Even after that his old habits clung to him, and on the night of Sept. 30, 1899, he rescued Albert Turk from drowning at the Exchange Street canal bridge, for which act he received a silver medal from the Volunteer life-saving service.

He was made a detective June 4th, 1902, and by close application to his calling, he has risen to the rank of Director of Detectives, a position which he filled with credit to himself and to the Department.

It can truthfully be said, that during his incumbency, Rochester, though entertaining thousands of visitors and delegates to various conventions, has marvelously escaped the lot that many cities have suffered by the influx of pickpockets and professional thieves, all this has to a large degree, been attributed to the vigilant eye of Director Whaley.

He belongs to Genesee Falls Lodge, No. 507, F. & A. M.; and is also a member of Lalla Rookh Grotto, No. 3, M. O. V. P.



FREDERICK J. SCHULTZ

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LIEUTENANT Frederiek J. Schultz, of the Sixth Preeinet, was born on Mareh 27, 1872, in the town of Brighton, of German extraetion, a fact of which he has always been proud. His education was received in the distriet schools of Chili and when he went out to earn his own livelihood he beecame a stationary engineer, and as such was employed at the time of his appointment as patrolman on the poliee foree on Mareh 30, 1896.

Quiet in manner, but purposeful, from the beginning he held the confidence of his superiors and the good will of his fellows. For a time he served as bieyele offieer in the Seecnd Preeinet. On May 15, 1904, he was promoted to be a sergeant and on Deeember 1, 1909, he was raised to the rank of lieutenant. Throughout his preeinct he is well known and held in high regard. He knows his territory and its people thoroughly and his friends can be found everywhere in the eity.

Lieutenant Schultz is a member of the C. M. B. A. and Poliee Benevolent Assoeiation. He married Katherine A. Murphy. Their union has been blessed by one ehild, to whom the name of M. Mildred was given. His home is pleasantly situated in Aldine Street, near West High School.



FRANK E. MEHLE

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LIEUTENANT Frank E. Mehle, of the First Precinct, is known as one of the most capable of the police officers, with a genial disposition that makes him popular in the department and attracts the friendship of all with whom he comes in contact. He was born in this City, of worthy German parents, on January 7, 1870, and received his education at the parochial school of SS. Peter and Paul's Church.

His first employment was in the shoe factory of Curtis & Wheeler. Later he became a salesman in the carpet store of Gorton & McCabe. He was a ball player of reputation and as such became more and more in love with a life in the open air. To this in a measure his decision to join the police force was due. His appointment as patrolman was made on July 26, 1893, and through faithful and intelligent performance of his duties he was promoted to be a sergeant on July 1, 1900.

Continued display of merit was responsible for Sergeant Mehle's advancement to the rank of lieutenant on January 1, 1909. In the command of the First Precinct at night, his is no light task, but he delights in his work and retains the absolute confidence of his superiors. He is a member of the C. M. B. A., Foresters of America, Police Benevolent Association and Continental Casualty Company. He married Clara Merkel and has one child, Albert W. His home is at 351 Brown Street.



JULIUS T. LUSCHER

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LIEUTENANT Julius T. Luscher, of the Third Precinct, at night has command of those who guard the homes of Rochester's wealthiest citizens and their safety could not be in more capable hands. He was born in this City on July 13, 1857, of sturdy German Stock, and in the common schools received his education.

His father was a blacksmith and in the trade the son followed in his footsteps, leaving the employment only when he had gained appointment as patrolman on November 13, 1887, at the age of thirty years. He proved a worthy member of the force and on September 26, 1896, he was promoted to be sergeant. He continued in the confidence of his superiors and the general public and on April 1, 1905, was raised to the rank of lieutenant.

His figure is a familiar one in the Third Precinct. His friends are many and the confidence of the community is his. Superiors consider him an officer always to be trusted. On November 1, 1883, he was married to Mary S. Snyder at Bergen, Genesee County, and has two children, Nellie and Bessie. His home is at 35 Hickory Street.



CHARLES C. ALT

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LIEUTENANT Charles C. Alt, of the Fifth Precinct, in which Captain Ferdinand Klubertanz is in command, was born in this City on November 1859, and in the public and parochial schools was given a thorough education. Love of horses and the handling of them was responsible for the seeking of the first employment he obtained, that of driver for a large commission house. Later he became salesman for J. A. Taylor.

Faithful to his employers he proved an excellent patrolman on the police force, to which he was appointed on November 12, 1887. Five years afterwards, on August 6, 1902, he was raised to the rank of sergeant, and so successful was he that in less than three years, on March 29, 1905, he was made a lieutenant. Throughout the Fifth Precinct he is widely known and respected, and his friends are everywhere in the city.

Lieutenant Alt is a member of the Genesee Falls Lodge, F. and A. M., Hamilton Chapter, R. A. M., Dorie Council, R. and S. M., Monroe Commandery, K. T., and Court Genesee, I. O. F. He married Catherine Erb and has two children, Arthur and Florence. His home is at 124½ Woodward Street.



JACOB HENRY KLEIN

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LIEUTENANT Jacob Henry Klein, of the Fourth Precinct is of German extraction, as are many others in the police department and is proud of the fact. He was born of worthy parents in this city on January 7, 1866, and received a thorough education in the parochial school of St. Bridget's Church.

He learned the trade of blacksmith, but forsook the hammer and anvil when he received appointment on July 26, 1893, as patrolman. Trusty and steady, and displaying an aptitude for police work, he won promotion as sergeant on July 1, 1900, and nine years later, on January 1, 1909, he was raised to the rank of lieutenant.

Assigned to the Fourth Precinct, under Captain Sherman, he has proved an excellent officer. No detail of police duty is too small to be given his strict attention, and throughout the territory over which he is in command at night he has many friends and the respect of all. Lieutenant Klein is a member of the Police Benevolent Association, New Empire Tent of the Maccabees, Holy Name Society and Rochester Benevolent Society. He married Caroline Gearing and has two children, Lillian and Herbert. His home is at 21 Brooklyn Street.



CARL L. SHEPARD

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LIEUTENANT Carl L. Shepard, of the Second Precinct, was born at Allens, Michigan, on November 3, 1860, and received an excellent common school education at Jonesville in that state and later at Rochester. This he supplemented here with a course in a business institute.

He entered the employ of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad in this City and remained at railroading until September 8, 1888. He was successful in securing an appointment as patrolman. Faithful and competent he attracted and held the attention of his superiors and on July 1, 1900, his merit was rewarded by his advancement to sergeant.

An excellent sergeant and genuinely in love with his work, he received promotion to a lieutenancy on February 1, 1907. In the Second Precinct, over whose peace he presides at night, he is widely known and respected. His friends are many. His taste for military work has been displayed in his acting as adjutant at the annual drill, and review of the police force.

Lieutenant Shepard married Agnes McCormack. They have three children, Mrs. G. H. Miller, Ella and Elwood. His home is at 42 Harris Street.



FRANK B. ALLEN

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SERGEANT Frank B. Allen, in charge of the police patrol automobile bureau, has the proud distinction of being the oldest member of the department in point of service, not excepting the venerable Peter Lauer, the detective-interpreter having been appointed in 1872, seven years later than the sergeant.

Mr. Allen was born at Montezuma, N. Y., on October 29, 1837, learned the trade of boat builder and carpenter but when the Civil War was in progress he served in it as a member of the Fifty Fourth Regiment. On April 23, 1864, he was appointed patrolman on the police force and after many years of faithful service was appointed a lieutenant in 1882.

In 1891 he was transferred to become sergeant of police patrol, as important position as a lieutenancy in the old days. This position he has held in all the years since then, always faithful and dependable. For a man of his years he is bright and keen, and he has never ceased to take pride in his work and uniform. He is a member of the G. A. R. Post 455 and of the Exempt Volunteer Firemen's Association. He married Rachel Jones many years ago, and had one adopted daughter, Mrs. Charlotte E. Dana. His residence is at 139 Alexander Street.



WILLIAM B. KINNEAR

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SERGEANT William B. Kinnear, of the First Precinct, is a braw Scot by birth, having first saw the light of day in Scotland on December 26, 1863. He was only a child, however, when his parents brought him to this country and settled in the town of Riga, Monroe County, N. Y. In the district school of Riga he was given a good education.

Variously employed, in time he forsook the town for the city and secured work in Rochester as motorman for the Rochester Railway Company, and was known as one of the most faithful and capable employees of the company. In February 8, 1893, he was successful in securing appointment as patrolman on the police force.

Steady, faithful and persistent in the following of each task set before him in routine duty or by order of his superiors, he made the most valuable man in the department and on April 1, 1905, his diligence and ability were rewarded by his appointment as sergeant. He is liked and widely respected.

Sergeant Kinnear is a member of the Rochester Lodge, F. and A. M. and I. O. O. F. He married Jessie K. Ramsay and has four children, Maud, Edna, Roy and Grace. His home is at 1542 Main Street, East.



JOHN HETZLER

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SERGEANT John Hetzler, of the First Precinct, was born in this City, of German parentage, facts of which he is especially proud, and being of studious mind took excellent advantage of his opportunities for receiving a good German and English education in the parochial schools.

He learned the trade of carpenter and through ability and intelligence became foreman for Hetzler & Fahrenbach, builders. Prospects for bettering things lay before him in contracting, but he chose the life and opportunities of a policeman, receiving his appointment as patrolman on July 26, 1893. Faithful and capable, and giving evidence of executive ability, he was on April 1, 1905, promoted to the rank of sergeant. He knows his First Precinct like a book and is held in high esteem both within and without the department.

Sergcant Hetzler's interests are well centered in the work of the police department, but he keeps up his membership and is active in the C. M. B. A., and S. P. B. A. He married Mary Faust and has four children, to whom have been given the names of Stella E., Irene M., George H. and Roy M. He resides at 921 Jay Street.



THOMAS JOSEPH McKEON

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SERGEANT Thomas Joseph McKeon was born in Le Roy, Monroe County, New York, on October 3, 1875, and while American by birth, a fact of which he is proud, he also is proud of the Irish blood that courses through his veins. In the public and parochial schools of his native village he received an excellent education, which has stood him in good stead both in the Police department and elsewhere.

The future sergeant of police industriously busied himself at various employments until he came to Rochester. In this city he soon found a place with the Rochester Railway Company as a trolley car conductor and held this position in the full trust of his superiors and the friendship of many patrons of the road until on May 22, 1899, he was appointed a patrolman.

He had prepared himself for his new duties. He knew the city well, by virtue of his work with the trolley company. As a patrolman he put his advantages to such good purpose, giving faithful service and conducting himself honorably, that before April 1, 1905 he had passed his civil service examination for promotion and on that date was named a sergeant by the commissioner. Sergeant McKeon is stationed at the First Precinct under Captain Stein. He married Lillian M. Kavanaugh.



DENNIS K. MCCARTHY

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ORDINANCE Sergeant Dennis K. McCarthy performs the exacting duties of his office with tact and executive ability that is the envy of his many friends. His superiors have absolute confidence in his integrity and those with whom he deals trust him completely. His office is maintained at the City Hall, but his vigilant eye covers the entire city. Not only is he lord over city license holders but is censor of the billboard and the theatrical performance.

Sergeant McCarthy was born in Ireland, a fact of which he is proud, though the land of his adoption is dear to him, on February 4, 1868, and in the parochial schools near his home received an excellent education. Coming early to Rochester he entered the employ of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad as baggage man, and on July 26, 1893, was appointed patrolman on the police force.

His promotion as sergeant on April 1, 1905, brought increased responsibility, but was a recognition of the greater demands made upon him in a growing city and the exceptional ability with which he performed his task. The Sergeant is a member of the C. M. B. A. and Holy Name Society. He married Ella Colmey. Their home is at 5 Arnett Street.



LAWRENCE P. MURRAY

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SERGEANT Lawrence P. Murray of the Second Precinct, was born in this city on March 6, 1858, and in its splendid schools received a good education. Early to work, he was apprenticed to learn the trade of blacksmith, which he followed steadily until he received his appointment as patrolman on the police force on June 9, 1891.

From the taking on his duties he showed a desire to do his best, and not only was he faithful but, marked ability was shown by him both in such large cases as he was called upon to handle as well as in the small ones. He was widely liked and gained the confidence of his superiors. Before his promotion he was a bicycle patrolman at Police headquarters. He qualified for a sergeancy and was successful in receiving the appointment on January 26, 1905.

Sergeant Murray is one who takes pride and pleasure in his work. He knows his city well and his precinct and its affairs perfectly. His interests lie largely in his profession, but he still has time to enjoy connection with the Woodmen of the World and of the Tribe of Ben Hur. Also he has a family of which he is proud. He married Mary Donlon. They have five children, Anna, Bessie, William, James and Ella.



GEORGE SULLIVAN

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SERGEANT George Sullivan, of the Second Precinct, has not only an aptitude for good police work but a gift for making friends and keeping them. He was born in this City, of Irish parentage, on October 3, 1873, and proud as he is of his American birth there are ties of affection which bind him to the land of his fathers.

He was given an excellent education in the common and parochial schools and when he was of age to do it, went out and became a stationary engineer. He was a good engineer, faithful, diligent and dependable, with the confidence of his employers at all times. He saw little opportunity for advancement at this work and prepared himself for the time when he would succeed in getting on the police force.

He was appointed as patrolman on January 31, 1899. The same application to his duties that had distinguished him as an engineer marked his work as a patrolman, and the same quiet, pleasant disposition was manifested at all times. The result was his promotion on December 1, 1900, to the rank of sergeant. As an officer he is most successful.

Sergeant Sullivan is a member of the Police Benevolent Association and Holy Name Society. He married Margaret Marie McNally and has two children, Ruth and Vincent. His home is at 71 Otis Street.



WILLIAM J. McDONALD

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SERGEANT William J. McDonald, of the Second Precinct, is a native of Canada, having been born at Peterboro, in the Province of Ontario, on August 3, 1867. In the city of his birth he received a splendid education in parochial and high schools, and then was set to learn to be a flour miller.

Rochester in his younger days was known far and wide as the Flour City and here he came in time seeking employment. Securing it he soon decided first to make his home here and next to become a member of the police force. He succeeded in winning his appointment as patrolman on November 16, 1892, and at once began the performance of his duties.

His superiors found him faithful and able and the general public, as it came in contact with him, liked him. He looked forward to securing promotion and in time qualified. His appointment as sergeant was made by the Commissioner of Public Safety on December 1st, 1907. Assigned to the Second Precinct, under Captain Ryan, he knows the territory perfectly.

Mr. McDonald is a member of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and has always taken the deepest interest in all its activities. He is also a member of the C. M. B. A. and the Police Benevolent Association. He married Sarah Cole, and has one son, Raymond.



ARMAND JAMES MCGUIRE

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SERGEANT Armand James McGuire of the Third Precinct was born in Greece, Monroe County, N. Y., on December 12, 1867, of true Irish Stock. In the schools of his native town and later at those of the neighboring Charlotte he received a good education and then learned the trade of carpenter.

In 1886, at the age of nineteen years, he came to Rochester and found employment at his trade. For eight years more he was occupied in this way and then on March 14, 1894, received appointment as patrolman on the police force he put his tools aside and took up the baton.

He was faithful in the performance of his duties and attracted the favorable consideration of his superiors, as well as winning many friendships. He qualified as sergeant, and on January 19, 1903, his years of good service were rewarded by his promotion. Sergeant McGuire has friends everywhere in the City and is widely respected. His interests lie in the department. Outside he is connected with but one organization, the C. M. B. A. He married Rose B. Pfaff. They have two children, Armand and Katherine H. Their home is at 25 Harvest Street.



WILLIAM C. ENGLAND

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SERGEANT William C. England, of the Third Precinct was born in a small hamlet in County Tipperary, Ireland, and in its schools was given an excellent education before he crossed the Atlantic and came to Rochester, his future home. Happy in the land of his adoption, his heart holds dear its love for his native country and its people.

In Rochester he quickly found employment and was a clerk in a large mercantile establishment when on January 31, 1899, at the age of less than thirty years, he received and accepted appointment as patrolman on the police force. Six years of faithful service, marked by a display of qualities which gained him the confidence and high respect of his superiors, followed, and in May, 1905, he received his promotion to a sergeancy.

In the Third Precinct he is widely known and well liked, and far beyond its borders he can count his friends by the hundreds. He knows the city well and keeps well posted. In the department he has an excellent record and the high regard of his superiors. A sad blow to him some time ago was the death of his wife, leaving him with three children, Ruth, Beulah and Mildred. Mr. England is a Woodman of the World and a member of Genesee camp.



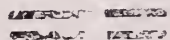
JOHN D. TRANT

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SERGEANT John D. Trant, of the Third Precinct, under Captain McAlester, was born in Seneca Falls, in this State on June 5, 1869, and at St. Mary's Parochial School in his native city was given an excellent education, and went out from it well equipped for the tasks of life.

Passionately interested in precious stones and jewelry he became a salesman in that line and as such was employed here when he succumbed to the desire to be a member of the police force of the City and succeeded in obtaining his appointment as patrolman on February 17, 1897. He gave good service and attracted the favorable attention of his superiors and on January 1, 1909, was promoted to the rank of sergeant.

As an officer in the department his record is excellent. Stationed in the precinct which holds Rochester's wealthiest residential section he is widely known and has gained the respect of all with whom he has come in contact. His superiors repose complete confidence in him. Sergeant Trant is a member of the Police Benevolent Association, Holy Name Society and I. O. R. M. He married Sara A. Moreland. Their home is at 74 Belmont Street.



MARTIN P. SNYDER

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SERGEANT Martin P. Snyder, of the Fourth Precinct, was born in this City on June 21, 1852, and in its public schools was given a good education. His father set him to learn the trade of painter, and the son being ambitious and possessing ability, was not long in becoming not only a tradesman but a contractor in his line.

Police work early had a fascination for him and throwing aside his business and its promises he joined the force on appointment as patrolman on November 13, 1887. The ability which was displayed in contracting manifested itself in his strict attention to duty and his intelligent performance of every task, which resulted that on December 20, 1904, he was promoted to the rank of sergeant.

Sergeant Snyder is a man of many friends. Widely known in the Fourth Precinct, his acquaintances may be found anywhere in the City. He is a member of the Rochester Tent of the Maccabees, Police Benevolent Association and the New York State Patrolmen's Association. Some years ago he married Emma F. Decker and their union was blessed by four children, to whom were given the names of Laura, Edna, Maud and Earl. Their home is at 1220 Clifford Street.



JAMES McDONALD ELLIS

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SERGEANT James McDonald Ellis, of the Fourth Precinct, has a record of things done of which any man might well be proud. A veteran of the Spanish War, as patrolman on the police force he organized the Locust Club and served as its secretary until his promotion to sergeant, he assisted in the organization of the New York State Patrolmen's Association, and was its first vice-president until promotion made him ineligible. These are two of the many things he has accomplished.

Sergeant Ellis was born in Rochester on March 16, 1876, and educated in the public schools and business college, after which he became a traveling salesman. He served in the Spanish War as a non-commissioned officer of the Seventh Battery, Light Artillery, N. Y. V., and at the close of hostilities returned and was appointed a police patrolman here on July 29, 1900. His promotion as sergeant was gained on February 1, 1907.

He held various offices in the B. P. O. Elks and United Spanish War Veterans and is a member of the Genesee Gun Club, and Trinity Boat Club. He is highly regarded by his superiors and possesses friends in all walks of life and throughout the state. He is unmarried.



MICHAEL MULCAHY

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SERGEANT Michael Muleahy, of the Fourth Precinct, in which Captain Sharon A. Sherman commands, is proud of the fact that although America is the land of his adoption he can claim Ireland as his native country. In a pretty hamlet in County Limerick he was born on August 27, 1867, and there in the national school he received an excellent education.

In his young manhood he came to this country and made Rochester his future home. By trade he is a painter and he was steadily employed at this work until on January 31, 1899, he succeeded in winning appointment as patrolman on the police force. As faithful as he was as a workman he proved to be a member of the department and the confidence of his superior officers soon was gained and never lost.

He was promoted to be a sergeant on May 28, 1908. He is highly regarded both in and outside the Fourth Precinct. Sergeant Muleahy is an ardent member of Division I, A. O. H., C. M. B. A., Holy Name Society and Police Benevolent Association. A sad blow was sustained by him in the loss of his wife, leaving him with four children to mourn her loss. They are named Margaret, Edward, John and William. The family home is at 435 South Goodman Street.



JAMES COLLINS

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SERGEANT James Collins, of the Fourth Precinct, was born in the City of Oswego on April 21, 1870, the son of worthy Irish parents, who bred in him a love for his native land and an affection for the older country across the sea. In Oswego he was given a good education in the public schools.

When he took up the duties of life he became a wire worker and as such was employed in Rochester when on February 1, 1899, his ambition to become a member of the police force was realized in an appointment as patrolman. Faithful and intelligent service and a manly conduct and appearance on all occasions were largely responsible for the promotion to a sergeancy which came to him on May 15, 1904.

Sergeant Collins has the confidence of his superiors, the respect and friendship of his equals. The patrolmen like him, and outside the force he is widely known and appreciated. He is an ardent lover of sport and is never happier than on the indoor diamond at baseball or on the hand-ball court at the Police Gymnasium. There he asks no favors of anybody and gives none. The Sergeant married Estella Attridge and has one child, a son, to whom the name James A. was given.



JOHN EDWARD LANE

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SERGEANT John Edward Lane, of the Fifth Precinct, was born in this City on October 23, 1868, and in its parochial schools was given a thorough education. As soon as the time came to throw books aside he was set to become a trunk maker and at this employment he was occupied until he was able to realize a cherished ambition to become a member of the police force.

His appointment as patrolman was made on July 24, 1893. In the years that have followed his service has been faithful. He attracted the attention of his superiors by steady intelligent performance of his duties and an ability to handle well each and every task that was given him. His promotion to a sergeancy was made on December 31, 1907.

Throughout the Fifth Precinct Sergeant Lane is well and favorably known. He is liked by patrolmen and his superiors, while the community in general holds him in regard. He has many friends. The Sergeant's chief interest is in his profession, but he occasionally finds time to attend the sessions of Saranae Tribe, I. O. R. M., of which he is an enthusiastic member. He married Anna Barbara Greb. They live at 20 Delmar Street.



MAURICE SCANLAN

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SERGEANT Maurice Scanlan is the junior in his rank on the police force of Rochester, but has given many years of good service in the department and is widely known as a faithful officer, proud of his uniform and to be depended upon to carry out an order to the letter.

He was born of worthy parents in Newtown Dillion, County Kerry, Ireland, and received his education there in the national common schools. Leaving his native land to make his way in America he came to Rochester and at the time of his appointment to the police force was a conductor with the Rochester Railway Company.

Strict attention to his duty was rewarded on November 23, 1910, by his promotion to a sergeancy in the Fifth Precinct, which he knows like a book and in which he is universally respected. He is wrapped up in police work, but his love for the country of his birth is responsible for his membership and ardent interest in the A. O. H. He is also a member of the H. N. S., C. M. B. A. and the Police Benevolent Association. Sergeant Scanlan married Bertha L. Moriarty and has five children, Helen E., Mary, Thomas S., Maurice, Jr., and Gerald M. He lives at 14 Flora Street.



THOMAS FOLEY

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SERGEANT Thomas Foley, of the Sixth Precinct, was born on March 19, 1855, in County Bantry, Cork, Ireland, a fact of which he is proud. In his old home he was given a portion of his education, but his parents moving to this country in his early youth, it was completed in the public schools of this City.

At various employments, after books had been put aside and the serious tasks of life taken up, he was faithful and intelligent, and had risen to be a foreman when on November 13, 1887, he had an ambition gratified in receiving appointment as patrolman on the police force. Years of good service brought him his appointment as sergeant on January 1, 1909.

Sergeant Foley knows the Sixth Precinct thoroughly and it knows him also and likes him. Beyond its environs he is known also. Proud of the land to which he was brought in his youth, Ireland still has its claims of affection upon him, as a member of the A. O. H. may indicate. He is also a member of the Police Benevolent Association and Holy Name Society. He married Bridget McPadden and has four children, John M., T. Joseph, Francis A. and Mary C. His home is at 33 Champlain Street.



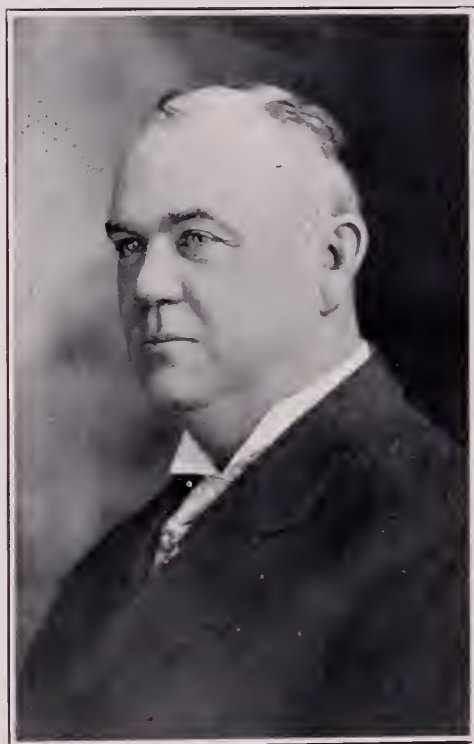
GEORGE H. KRON

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SERGEANT George H. Kron, of the Sixth Precinct, was born in this City on March 31, 1858, of worthy parents whose German blood was a pride to them and to their son. The family having moved to Chili in his childhood he was educated in the common schools of that town and in its fresh air grew up to sturdy manhood.

He became a butcher and followed the occupation until an ambition to be a member of the police force, with its uniform and baton and its many advantages, was realized and he secured appointment as patrolman. This came to him on May 30, 1882. He proved to be a faithful and capable member of the department, making friends and winning the confidence of his superiors.

On November 15, 1909, he was rewarded with promotion to the rank of sergeant. In the Sixth Precinct he is widely known and there is scarcely an inch of its territory that is not familiar to him, and few are the faces he cannot recognize. Sergeant Kron married Johanah Wagner. Their union has been blessed by one child, who was given the name of Oliver M. His home is at 133 Genesee Street, one of the long thoroughfares in his precinct.



JOHN A. STAPLETON

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REGARDING Ulysses S. Grant as a commander, Hamlin Garland says: "His most marked characteristics were measureless persistence, swift and unhesitant action, calm mastery of details, consideration in the treatment of a subordinate, courage to assume a responsibility, and beyond, and perhaps above all, the capacity to do, in the heat and tumult of war, things so conspicuously right that when the battle is ended they seem to have been inspired by miraculous common sense."

The above paragraph is just as befitting the character of Dr. John A. Stapleton, Surgeon of the Rochester Police Department, as it was suited to the characteristics of the Immortal Grant.

A five minute's talk with the doctor, assures one that he is "the right man in the right place."

Dr. Stapleton was born in this city and it was here that he received his primary education at the public and parochial schools, after which he went to the University of Buffalo and was graduated with honors from the medical department of that institution.

He was appointed to the position of Surgeon of the Department on January 1, 1902, and has served continuously since. He is an enthusiastic member of the Rochester Club and the Union Club.



FRANK MORRISON ENOS

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FRANK Morrison Enos was born in the Flower City, February 3, 1862. He received his education in the public schools, supplemented by a business training with the Rochester Herald Publishing Co. for ten years, and Office Manager with the R. T. French Co. for the ten succeeding years. He was Lieutenant, (J. G.) 2nd Separate Naval Division for eight years, and a member of Achilles Corps, (an Independent Military Co.) for five years, serving in every grade from Private to Captain.

Mr. Enos was appointed Military Instructor of the Police Department April 27, 1908, and that he has been successful is evinced by the soldiery bearing of the men when on parade for inspection. He is happily married, his wife's maiden name being Miss Mary J. Tripp; a son, Franklin James, and a daughter, Mary Fulton, complete the household.



WILLIAM C. MEAGHER

WHITCOMB HENRY ALLEN, appointed stenographer March 17, 1909, and later detailed as property clerk and stenographer to the chief, was born in Wilton, Maine, but received his first schooling at Boston, Massachusetts. Later his parents removed to Fairport, New York, and he was graduated from the High School of that place. Still later he took a course at the College of Commerce and Finance at Picton, Ontario, Canada, after which he was employed by a fruit canning company. Before he sought appointment as a stenographer he was assistant circulation manager of the Leonard Darbyshire Publishing Company in this city. He is unmarried.

WILLIAM C. MEAGHER comes from Irish-American stock, but was born in Livonia, N. Y. He attended the public schools and was graduated from the High School, after which he took a thorough course in the Rochester Business Institute, receiving his diploma in 1900. He was not long idle, as on May 1st of the same year, he was appointed stenographer in the Police Department. When the Bertillon System was inaugurated, March 17, 1903, Mr. Meagher was promoted as clerk, a position he has held ever since, with the esteem and confidence of the Department. He is a worthy member of the C. M. B. A. and the B. P. O. Elks. Mr. Meagher is unmarried.



WHITCOMB HENRY ALLEN



EDWARD J. O'BRIEN

Fifty-five years ago, in the month of April, there was born in the town of Rochester, of sturdy Irish-American stock, a youth who was destined to make a success of life. He was a diligent student in the public schools and was generally at the head of his classes. Not only was he an apt pupil in school but, on leaving old Number 17, he applied the same thoroughness in the trade of a painter, which he followed for some time. In his social life, he came in contact with friends who wore the blue and he too longed for the same. His wish was gratified in December 1883, when he received his appointment and ten years later he was promoted to the grade of Detective, which position he still holds with the confidence of his superiors. Edward J. O'Brien is an enthusiastic Elk and a member of the C. M. B. A.

JOHN P. McDONALD of American parentage, was born in the city of Rochester, June, 1864. He attended the parochial schools of his native city, and on completing his education, he secured a position as clerk and afterwards became manager for the same house. However, he saw a brighter future in serving the city, and sought an appointment in the department of law and order. He first wielded the baton on November 13, 1887, and seven years later, May 28, 1894, he was promoted for efficiency and capability to the grade of detective. He is an enthusiastic member of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. Mr. McDonald is unmarried.



JOHN P. McDONALD



JOHN WILLIAM NAGLE

JOHN WILLIAM NAGLE was born in Rochester July 24, 1866, and received a public school education. After leaving school, he was first employed by the Forsyth Scale Co. and afterward by the Judson Machine Co. He early developed a taste for music and soon became an accomplished musician, and as such was occasionally engaged. His one ambition in life was to become a detective. He joined the police force January 6, 1891, and after proving his ability, he was promoted on June 2, 1902, to the detective bureau, a position he has filled with credit to himself and the department. He is a member of Valley Lodge No. 109, and Hamilton Chapter F. & A. M. Mr. Nagle married Catherine L. Griffin and they have one child, Fred G.

WILLIAM FRANCIS MAGUIRE was born in Rochester June 2, 1866, and was educated in the public schools of his native City. For a few years he followed the trade of a can-maker, was appointed ladderman on truck No. 2 in the fire department November 19, 1888, and served there till July 26, 1891, when he was appointed on the police force. He was promoted to be sergeant of the patrol wagon September 28, 1896, and made detective February 13, 1899. Mr. Maguire married Elizabeth M. Kittlinger in 1892. He is a member of the Elks, Maccabees and Police Benevolent Association.



WILLIAM FRANCIS MAGUIRE



WILLIAM H. BAUER

It was during the administration of General U. S. Grant as president that the subject of this sketch was born, the date of his birth being July 24, 1870. As a student Roger D. Courneen was industrious and stood well in his classes at the parochial schools where he attended, commanding the respect and confidence of his teachers. Previous to his appointment as policeman, on the twenty-third anniversary of his birth, he was a tobacconist. For twelve years he carried the baton, receiving his promotion as Detective January 1, 1905. Mr. Courneen married Miss Anna Kravar and one son, Roger I., completes the family. He is affiliated with the Iroquois Tribe of Red Men.

WILLIAM H. BAUER first saw the light of day in Rochester, October 22, 1855. After having attended the public schools, he was apprenticed to a prominent contractor and thoroughly learned the trade of carpenter and builder, which he followed very successfully for some years. He had a longing desire to join the Police Department and his wish was gratified when on January 4, 1891, he first donned the suit of blue. Efficient work earned him a promotion and in August, 1899, he was made detective. He is a member of the C. M. B. A. and the Police Benevolent Association. Mr. Bauer married Catherine Williams and their union has been blessed with eight children.



ROGER D. CORNEEN



WILLIAM C. SPILLINGS

In the town of Cornwall in the Green Mountain State, when the Civil War was nearly over, Dec. 17, 1864, William C. Spillings made his advent on earth. Born of American parentage, he early embraced the doctrines of a true American. He was educated in the common schools of his native village. His early man hood was spent in various pursuits, always of an athletic turn of mind he derived much pleasure in physical culture and out-door sports. Previous to his appointment on the force October 1, 1895, he was a worthy member of the Fire Department. On November 16, 1904, for meritorious work in the Police Department he was promoted to the grade of Detective. Mr. Spillings is a member of the F. & A. M. and the P. B. A. His wife's maiden name was Agnes B. McCurn; one child, Sabina M., completes the family.

WALTER GEORGE BARNETT was born in this City April 22, 1873, and was educated at Public School No. 15. Having been employed for some time as a coachman and afterward as clerk in a grocery store, he was appointed on the police force May 22, 1899, and was assigned to the detective bureau June 2, 1902. He is a member of Yonondio Lodge 163, F. & A. M., Lalla Rookh Grotto No. 3, M. O. V. P., Sons of St. George, Windsor Lodge No. 198, Hiokatoo Red Men No. 74, and Rochester Police Bevevolent Association. Mr. Barnett is married, his wife's maiden name being Marie Mary Schwader.



WALTER GEORGE BARNETT



WILLIAM WEIDMAN

WILLIAM WEIDMAN is one of Rochester's own true sons, being born in this city, October 10, 1875, and receiving his education in its public schools. Of a mechanical turn of mind, he secured a position in a plumbing establishment and by close application to his duties, he became in a short time, a competent workman. Mr. Weidman was not satisfied to remain a plumber very long, as a desire for police life had manifested itself in him, and he sought and obtained an appointment as patrolman, June 28, 1899. Meritorious work brought about his promotion to the Detective Bureau, July 16, 1908. He is a member of the F. & A. M., Modern Woodmen of the World, and the Police Benevolent Association. Mr. Weidman is married, his wife's maiden name being, Sadie V. Dillon.

WILLIAM KANE MCINERNEY is a native of the Empire State, having been born in the village of Salamanca, April 15, 1875, and was educated in its public schools, leaving the high school with honor. Later he moved to Rochester and attended the parochial schools of this city. Of pleasing address, he experienced no difficulty after leaving school to secure a position as salesman. This line of work he followed for some time, but as he possessed marked ability in the detection of crime, he longed to affiliate himself with those who were the guardians of the law. His ambition was realized when he first wore the suit of blue and wielded his baton, December 6, 1900. Eight years later, June 16, 1908, he was promoted to the grade of Detective. He is a member of the Knights of Columbus and the Rochester Yacht Club. Mr. McInerney is unmarried.



WILLIAM KANE MCINERNEY



ALEXANDER ELLIOTT

In the sunny land of Italy, the land that is full of historic memories, the subject of this sketch was born. His parents had heard of the "land of promise" and emigrated to America, making their home in Buffalo, where Alexander Elliott was educated. It became necessary for him to be a bread winner on leaving school and he became a finisher, later a contractor and at the time of his appointment on the police force he was a trusted employee of the N. Y. C. Ry., with the rank of general foreman. His promotions in the department have come very fast, as there was a vast amount of work and education to be accomplished with his countrymen, who like him have come to America to seek their fortune. Mr. Elliott was appointed May 16, 1907, and in less than one year (April 1, 1908) he was made a detective.

WILLIAM H. CHRISTIE was born in the City of Rochester during the storm of the Civil War, the date of his birth being December 9, 1862. He received his education in the common and parochial schools of his native City, after which he was an apprentice in the manufacturing of shoes. He was soon an artisan in his chosen profession, but left the work shop for out-door life on January 6, 1891, that being the date of his appointment on the police force. For nineteen years he was a familiar officer and made many friends in different parts of the City. A little over a year ago (January 1, 1910) he was promoted to the grade of Detective. His long experience on the force will no doubt prove a valuable acquisition in his present positions. Mr. Christie is married and is the proud father of six children. His wife's maiden name was Miss Minnie Bashnip.



WILLIAM H. CHRISTIE



ANTHONY R. ANDREWS

Rochester has given to the Police Department some men of whom she is proud, and in the person of Anthony R. Andrews she is justly so. For did he not acquit himself with honors in the Spanish American War, attaining the rank of First Lieutenant when for three years he was ever ready to defend the flag? After his return to civil life, he sought and obtained a position on the force, being appointed February 1, 1904. He was detailed as Physical Instructor and for six years he instilled into the department the manly science of self-defense and military development. Mr. Andrews is an honorable member of the United Spanish War Veterans and the Police Benevolent Association. He married Eleanor Gamrache and one child, Lucille, has blessed their union.

FRANK J. SIENER is a Rochesterian in every sense of the term, having lived in the Flower City all his life, which according to the calender is thirty-eight years, having been born in October, 1873. He was a student at the school of SS. Peter and Paul's and on leaving was well equipped for the responsibilities of life. He became a member of the Rochester Police Department, January 31, 1899, and has been a faithful officer. He was promoted to the grade of Acting Detective February 16, 1911, for meritorious work. Mr. Siener still enjoys his bachelor freedom.



FRANK J. SIENER



GEORGE M. DOCKSTADER

GEORGE M. DOCKSTADER is a native of Rochester and has been one of the best known citizens for many years. It was here that he received his education in the common schools, when he became qualified for the position of bookkeeper. The open air was more to his liking rather than the close confinement of the office. On the 16th of May, 1906, he put on the uniform of a policeman and for five years he wore it with credit to himself and the department, as his promotion to the grade of Acting Detective, will affirm. Mr. Dockstader is happily married, his wife's maiden name being Miss Florence E. Van Lane.

GEORGE W. MCKELVEY first saw the light of day in Rochester just after the Dove of Peace had been sent to proclaim that the Civil War was over and "the Union was one and inseparable," (September 13, 1868, being the date of his birth). He was a pupil of old Number Six, that has sent many good men into the business and professional world. Mr. McKelvey was no exception; he became an expert machinist, which position he forsook when he became a policeman in 1893. He is affiliated with the Masonic fraternity.



GEORGE W. MCKELVEY



HENRY EHRMENTRAUT

HENRY EHRMENTRAUT was born in the City of Rochester, August 14, 1863. After receiving his education in the parochial schools, he embarked in the lumber trade and soon was a very proficient lumberman, a position which he held until he received an appointment in the Police Department July 24, 1893. He has proved to be a very capable and careful officer. Mr. Ehrmentraut married Miss Anna Elizabeth Hartley and one daughter, Hildreth completes the family. He finds time from his business cares to devote some attention to the Redmen, Maccabees, Locust Club and the P. B. A.

PHILIP G. YAWMAN, appointed patrolman on the police force on March 19, 1889, is a native of Scottsville, Monroe County, N. Y., and in the public schools of that place received his education. At the time of joining the force, he was a driver for the American Express Company, possessing the absolute confidence of those above him. He proved a faithful, diligent officer and on January 1, 1900, received recognition in being appointed special officer at police headquarters. Mr. Yawman is a member of the Eagles and Foresters. He married Jessie D. Pierce and has three children, George, Harry Earl and Delinda.



PHILIP G. YAWMAN



CHARLES E. POST

CHARLES E. POST was born in this City and after attending public school No. 10 for some years, was apprenticed to a mason. His trade learned, he worked as a journeyman until the charms of the coat of blue and its brass buttons fascinated him and he became a patrolman on December 12, 1899. After eight years of service, he was taken off regular work and given a detail as special patrolman in the First Precinct, a position he still occupies. He is widely known in the Precinct and takes a keen interest in the duties that come to him. He married Margaret Bassel.

JOSEPH F. SCHMITT has been a sergeant in the United States Army, with an enviable war record gained in service in Cuba and the Phillipine Islands. He fought in the battle of El Caney on July 1, 1898, and also in the insurrection in the Phillipines in the following year with the 22nd United States Infantry, in which he held the rank of sergeant. He is a native of Rochester and was educated at SS. Peter and Paul's School. His appointment as patrolman on the police force was made on September 1, 1904. Mr. Schmitt is a member of the Foresters, Red Men, and Bachelor Club.



JOSEPH F. SCHMITT



GEORGE LOUIS MILLER

GEORGE LOUIS MILLER was born in Lancaster, N. Y., and educated in the public schools of Buffalo. After leaving school, he learned the trade of mason and followed it very successfully in Rochester. His ability was recognized along other lines and on June 18, 1901, he was appointed to a position with the District Attorney's office. Mr. Miller is well known in social life and is affiliated with the F. & A. M. and the I. O. F. He married Miss Martha Succs, a daughter, Martha and a son, George make up a very happy family.

AARON B. FULLER, popularly known as "Hi," the subject of this sketch, was appointed temporary officer on August 12, 1904. He is stationed in the Fourth Precinct and has made a reputation for restoring lost children to their parents and in a short time became one of the most popular members of the police department. For the last year or so he has been doing special duty in plain clothes, having been detailed to look up special cases brought to the notice of the Commissioner.



AARON B. FULLER



JOHN W. SHAYNE

JOHN W. SHAYNE, appointed patrolman on the police force on January 22, 1891, was born at Galway, Saratoga County, N. Y., and in its public schools received his education. He has given faithful service in many branches of work in the police department, and in the years he has been on the force has learned to know Rochester from rim to center. He is quiet and unassuming, but on many occasions has given proof of shrewdness and courage. At present he is stationed in the Second Precinct. Mr. Shayne is married, his wife's christian name being Catherine

ADOLPH JOHN LEGLER was born at Mankato, Minn., but at an early age was brought to Rochester and here was educated in the parochial schools. Even before he had completed his schooling he was engaged in clerking and later he gave his whole attention to this work. His appointment as patrolman on the police force was made on September 1, 1891. In his many years of service Mr. Legler, both in plain clothes and uniform, gave signal proof of his worth. He married, his wife's maiden name being Helen Dunnigan. They have no children. Mr. Legler is a member of the C. M. B. A.



ADOLPH JOHN LEGLER



WILLIAM FRED POPP

JOSEPH I. McKENNA is a native of this city and received his appointment as patrolman on the police force on August 31, 1901. His education was received in the parochial schools, and on leaving them he learned the trade of cigar maker. The confinement of a workshop was not to his liking and the work of a patrolman appealed to him. He had little difficulty in securing an appointment. He is an enthusiastic member of Branch 93 C. M. B. A., Holy Name Society, Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association. His wife's name was Elizabeth F. Yekel and their union has been blessed with four children, Marie, Donald J., Charles W., and Dorothy E.

WILLIAM FRED POPP athletic instructor to the police, is a native of this city and was appointed a patrolman on January 3, 1900. On leaving the common schools he learned the trade of machinist and later became attendant at the Rochester State Hospital. Through his love of athletics and the open air he was attracted to police service and easily gained his desire. He is a member of the Yonnonidia Lodge, F. and A. M., Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association. His wife's name was Mary McAnn, and they have two children, Kenneth Bertrum and William Fred.



JOSEPH I. MCKENNA



JOHN S. PEARSON

JOHN S. PEARSON, appointed patrolman on the police force on May 4, 1892, claims West Walworth, Wayne County, N. Y., as his native place. After attending the common schools he completed his education at Macedon High School, Macedon, and went out in the world as a salesman. Tiring of this work he successfully sought a place on the police force of Rochester. He is a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Locust Club and O'Rourke Camp S. of V. His wife's name was Myrtie A. O'Ferrell. They have seven children, Harold J., Ivan V., Leo D., Norman F., Don C., Rexford J. and Owen E.

JAMES HENRY MARTIN has the honor of being custodian of peace and safety at the City Hall, with especial reference to the office of the mayor. This position he has held in several administrations. He is a native of this city and was educated at public and parochial schools. He learned the trade of shoemaker, but a taste of free Western life as a young man, instilled in him a desire to become a member of the police force. His appointment was made in June 29, 1891. He married Catherine Roth and has three children, Ruth Alice, Ivan James, and Frederick Herman.



JAMES HENRY MARTIN



JOHN M. SELLINGER

JOHN M. SELLINGER was appointed patrolman on the police force on May 4, 1892, and on May 4, 1907, after fifteen years of faithful and intelligent service was assigned to special duty in the captain's office in the First Precinct. He was born in this City, and educated at St. Bridgets Parochial School. He learned the trade of stove moulder. An indication of the regard in which he is held was his election as treasurer of the Police Benevolent Association. He is also a member of the Knights of the Maccabees and Locust Club. Mr. Sellinger married Mary A. Crowe and has two children, John M. J. and Marie L.

HENRY F. SPAHN, appointed patrolman on the police force on September 1, 1891, was born in Rochester and educated at the parochial school of SS. Peter and Paul's Church. He learned the trade of boot and shoe maker and held steady employment until he was able to gratify an ambition and become a member of the police department. He is stationed in the First Precinct, and is faithful in the performance of every duty. Mr. Spahn is a member of the Foresters of America, C. M. B. A. and the Police Benevolent Association. He is a widower with three children, Harry, Eloise and Anna.



HENRY F. SPAHN



STEPHEN DREXELIUS

STEPHEN DREXELIUS is a native of Rochester, and here in the parochial schools received his early education. He entered one of the large foundries of Rochester and became an iron moulder, and was working steadily at his trade when on July 26, 1893, an ardent desire to spend the remainder of his life in the police department of the City of Rochester was realized in an appointment made by the Commissioner of Public Safety. He is stationed in the First Precinct, is known to his superiors as a faithful member of the force and has a wide circle of friends both in and out the department.

THOMAS J. CONDON, appointed patrolman on the police force on July 26, 1893, was born in Rathkeale, County Limerick, Ireland, and received his schooling in Croagh. Coming to this country, he was variously employed, giving faithful service, and at the time he donned his blue uniform and took up the baton, he was a motorman in the employ of the Rochester Railway Company. He is stationed in the First Precinct. Mr. Condon was united in marriage to Josephine Reichert and has two children to whom have been given the names Kathryn and James.



THOMAS J. CONDON



JOHN G. BURNS

JOHN G. BURNS first saw the light of day in Davenport, Iowa, and there received his education in the public schools of the city. He learned the trade of shoemaking and in time came and made Rochester his home. Here he was occupied in steady employment, until he was successful in an application for appointment as patrolman on the police force on September 1, 1891. He is stationed in the First Precinct where he is well and favorably known and possesses the confidence of his superiors and the community. Mr. Burns is married.

DANIEL INGALL, appointed patrolman on the police force on June 15, 1893, was born and educated at Wheatland, Monroe County, N. Y., and there learned the trade of carriage woodworker. He worked here for several years before he joined the force. Mr. Ingall is connected with many fraternal organizations, being a member of Valley Lodge F. and A. M., Damascus Temple A. A. O. N. M. S. of Rochester Consistory, S. P. R. S., Orient Lodge, I. O. O. F., Sons of St. George and Locust Club. He has the confidence of his superiors and is widely known. Mr. Ingall married Minnie F. Stallman and has two children, Maud and Gertrude.



DANIEL INGALL



PATRICK R. HENNESSEY

PATRICK R. HENNESSEY is a native of Lockport, Niagara County, N. Y. He was educated in its public schools, and there he learned the trade of iron moulder and as such was employed in this City when the desire for a position on the police force seized him. He sought an appointment, succeeded in passing the examinations and on June 14, 1900, was named a patrolman. Mr. Hennessey is stationed in the First Precinct. He married Mary O'Herron. Their union has been blessed with five children, to whom have been given the names of James, Mary, Francis, Hazel and Charles.

JAMES L. DWYER, appointed patrolman on the police force on June 1, 1905, was born in Fairport, Monroe County, N. Y., and in its public schools received his education. Leaving the village for the city, he was in the employ of the Rochester Railway Company as a conductor, when he took up the duties of patrolman. He is stationed in the First Precinct which he knows thoroughly and in which he has many friends and the confidence of his superiors. Mr. Dwyer's interests are centered in his duties and his family. He married Emma J. Fisher and has two daughters, Elsie and Emma.



JAMES L. DWYER



CASPER WARD VAUGHN

CASPAR WARD VAUGHN was born in Pittsford, Monroe County, N. Y., and there received his schooling. Leaving town for the city, he was soon occupying a responsible position with the American Express Company, and was one of its collectors, when on July 1, 1891, he was appointed patrolman on the police force. Kindness and sturdy manhood have marked his service and his superiors know him to have been faithful to every trust. Mr. Vaughn is a member of the Royal Arcanum and the Locust Club. He married Ellen Baker and has three children, Marie, Edith and Ward.

HENRY AUGUST IRELAND, appointed patrolman on the police force on June 10, 1883, he is a native of Benton, Ontario Canada, and was educated in the public schools of Thornton, near his birthplace. There he learned the trade of woodworker and crossing the border, found employment in Rochester. He is stationed in the First Precinct, where he is well known to the public and has the confidence of his superiors. Mr. Ireland is a member of the Foresters of America, Modern Woodmen, Red Men, Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association. He married Agnes Hayes, and has two sons William Henry and Frederick Arthur.



HENRY AUGUST IRELAND



JAMES SCHEMERHORN

JAMES SCHEMERHORN was born August 10, 1870, in the Town of Montezuma, Cayuga County, N. Y., and there received a public school education. Fascinated by the railroad, he left his home and secured employment on the New York Central, with Rochester as headquarters. He was weaned from railroading by the desire to become a member of the police department and on June 19, 1901, his wish was gratified. He is stationed in the First Precinct. Mr. Schemerhorn is a member of the Locust Club, Police Benevolent Association and Modern Woodmen. He married Effie M. Blanshan and has one son, Ray.

WALTER J. PHALEN, was born at Livonia, Livingston County, N. Y., and in the public schools of that place and in the City of Rochester, received his education. Here he learned the trade of machinist, and was steadily employed, holding the confidence of those above him, when an ambition to enter the police department was gratified. His appointment as patrolman was made on January 15, 1899. He is stationed in the First Precinct, in which he has a host of friends, and has the confidence of his superiors. Mr. Phalen is a member of the C. M. B. A. He married Augusta A. Burns.



WALTER J. PHALEN



JOSEPH P. WITASCHKEK

JOSEPH P. WITASCHKEK, appointed patrolman on the police force on September 25, 1899, was born in Carrolton, Illinois, but received his education in the parochial schools of this City and here learned the trade of upholsterer. A desire to wear the blue uniform with brass buttons and take up the duties of a patrolman came to him early, and he set about to qualify. Passing the examination creditably, it was not long before his ambition was realized. He is stationed in the First Precinct. Mr. Witaschek is a member of the Red Men, Foresters of America, Locust Club, and Police Benevolent Association.

PATRICK CONVEY first saw the light of day in a hamlet of the Province of Ontario, Canada, and there he received his schooling. Ambitious to better himself led him in course of time to seek his fortunes on this side of the line and the way led him finally to Rochester. He was variously employed, earning a reputation for faithfulness at every task and finally a high ambition was reached, when on January 31, 1899, he was appointed patrolman on the police force. Mr. Convey is a member of the Locust Club. He married Lillian A. Osborn.



PATRICK CONVEY



THOMAS FRANCIS GIBBONS

THOMAS FRANCIS GIBBONS is a native of Avon, Livingston County, N. Y., was educated in its public schools and there learned his trade of woodworker. Coming to Rochester, he quickly secured employment and at the time the fascinations of police duty weaned him away from the workshop. He was holding the position of foreman. His appointment as patrolman was made on June 21, 1904. He is stationed in the First Precinct, where he is widely known. He is a member of the Locust Club. He married Sue Margaret Karles.

WILLIAM CLARK CLOONIN first saw the light of day in this city and was given his education in the parochial school of St. Bridget's Church. Seeking employment early in life, he became a tobacconist and was a handler of the fragrant weed when he successfully sought appointment as patrolman on the police force. His appointment was made on October 1, 1904. He abandoned the confinement necessitated by his previous employment without regret and gave himself heart and soul to his new duties. Mr. Cloonin is a member of the C. M. B. A.



WILLIAM CLARK CLOONIN



JOSEPH HENRY NOLIN

JOSEPH HENRY NOLIN is a native of Rochester. He was educated in the parochial and public schools of the city. Early set to earn his livelihood, he was variously employed, but loving horses and the handling of them, it was as a driver that he found steady occupation, until the time came for him to gratify an ambition to be connected with the police force. His appointment as patrolman on the police force was made on June 18, 1901. He is known as a faithful member of the department and is popular. Mr. Nolin is a widower.

EDGAR JOHN PRUYN is a son of the superintendent of city buildings, and was born in this city and educated in its public schools. Like his father before him, he learned to become a stationary engineer, but the fascinations of police work were too many for the prosecution of early plans, and on January 1, 1906, he was appointed a patrolman on the police force. He is stationed in the First Precinct, in which he has many friends. Mr. Pruyne is a member of the Masonic Order and B. L. F. He married Emma M. I. Gardner, and has two children, Edgar and Jessie.



EDGAR JOHN PRUYN



DENNIS DANIEL McGRATH

GEORGE EDWARD GALLAHER was appointed patrolman on the police force on July 1, 1904. He was born in the town of Gaines, Orleans County, N. Y., but was educated in the public schools of this City. He learned the trade of house painter. For a long time before he made application, he was desirous of taking up the duties of a policeman, and prepared himself thoroughly for the examination and his future work. He is stationed in the First Precinct, where he is well and favorably known. Mr. Gallaher is a member of the Holy Name Society and Locust Club. He is unmarried.



GEORGE EDWARD GALLAHER

DENNIS DANIEL McGRATH was born in Brighton, Monroe County, N. Y., and received his education in St. Mary's Parochial School in this City. Various employment, he was engaged in the ice business as an assistant when an ambition to become a member of the police force of the City was gratified by his appointment, as a patrolman on January 22, 1901. He is stationed in the First Precinct, where he is widely known and liked. He is a member of the Locust Club and Holy Name Society. He married Lillian E. C. Kenney and has two children, Geraldine and James.



AMBROSE J. ARMSTRONG

FRANK E. KEEGAN, appointed patrolman on the police force on July 2, 1907, was born at Conquest, Cayuga County, N. Y., and was given his education in the public schools of Port Byron. Attracted to railroad work, he was not content until he had secured employment as a fireman. He liked the work, but had no regrets in abandoning it to become a member of the Rochester police force. His appointment as patrolman was made on July 2, 1907. He is stationed at the First Precinct. Mr. Keegan married Maud V. Jones and has a daughter, Mildred Irene.



FRANK E. KEEGAN

AMBROSE J. ARMSTRONG was born in Rochester, educated at St. Patrick's Parochial School and in one of the large industrial establishments of the city learned the trade of machinist. He was steadily employed and would have been content to follow his occupation were it not for the charms of duty as a member of the police department. He succeeded in winning his appointment on February 25, 1908. He is stationed in the First Precinct, where he is well known and highly respected. Mr. Armstrong is a member of the Locust Club. He married Satie Berghold.



JAMES ARTHUR DOYLE

JAMES ARTHUR DOYLE was born in the town of Ellicottville, N. Y., and educated in its public schools. Coming to Rochester, he was variously employed at mechanical work and won a place as meter setter for the City, a position he held until his application for appointment as patrolman on the police force was granted on May 1, 1908. He is stationed in the First Precinct, where he is well known and liked. Mr. Doyle married Nora H. Doyle and has four children to whom were given the names of Blanche, Arthur, Anna and James.

FRANK E. MOULD received his appointment as patrolman on the police force on May 1, 1909. He is a native of Antwerp, Jefferson County, N. Y., and there received a common school education. Variously employed, he was for some years before becoming a member of the police force in the employ of a large stove service company and had a good promise before him. He preferred the duties of a policeman to any business success. He is stationed in the First Precinct. Mr. Mould is a member of the Locust Club. He is unmarried.



FRANK E. MOULD



EDWARD P. KANE

EDWARD P. KANE was born in County Louth, Ireland, but at a tender age was brought to America and Rochester, by his parents and in the parochial schools of this city, received his education. Securing employment as a blacksmith's helper he enlisted at the time of the Spanish War, and fought in the Phillipine Insurrection and in the Boxer Rebellion in China. He was appointed patrolman on the police force on December 24, 1908. He is stationed in the First Precinct. Mr. Kane married Margaret O'Hare. One child, Dorthy, has blessed their union.

LESTER B. DERRICKSON is a native of the Wolverine State, having been born in the village of Mecosta, Mich., September 13th, 1883. He obtained his common school education in the town of his birth and attended the high school in the village of Livonia, N. Y., his parents having, in the meantime, moved to this State. Coming to Rochester, he secured employment as a conductor in the service of the street railway and held this position for a number of years. Being successful in his efforts to become a member of the Police Department, he was made a patrolman on January 1st, 1908. Mr. Derrickson is a member of the Odd Fellows. He married Miss Ada L. Randall and they have two children, Helen and Archic.



LESTER B. DERRICKSON



EDWARD DANIEL BAHRINGER

EDWARD DANIEL BAHRINGER, appointed patrolman on the police force on January 16, 1910, was born in Rochester, and educated in its public schools. He learned the trade of machinist and held steady employment. He was held in high esteem by his employers and in several fraternal organizations and clubs of which he was a member, he held the position of secretary and treasurer. He is a member of the Foresters of America, Y. M. C. A., Maccabees and C. L. Y. C. He is stationed in the First Precinct, where he is rapidly winning his way. Mr. Bahringer married Anna F. Doran.

JOSEPH K. COURNEEN is a former baseball player who in his day was known as a pitching star of great promise in the best minor leagues. He was born in this City and received his education in St. Mary's Parochial School. He learned the trade of clothing cutter and followed it steadily except in the months of baseball. He has held the position of secretary in a leather company. Love of out doors was bred in him and cultivated on the diamond, and he turned eagerly to an opportunity of joining the police force, receiving his appointment on January 1, 1910. He is unmarried.



JOSEPH K. COURNEEN



CHARLES HENRY BOVEE

IVAN VINCENT PEARSON is a native of West Walworth, Wayne County, N. Y., but through his parents moving to Rochester, he received his education in the public schools of this city. In the employ of the Rochester Railway and Light Company, he was an assistant cashier and again meter reader, highly regarded by his immediate superiors. He relinquished chances of advancement in business to become a member of the police force, receiving his appointment as patrolman on January 16, 1910. He is stationed in the First Precinct. Mr. Pearson is unmarried.



IVAN VINCENT PEARSON

CHARLES HENRY BOVEE, appointed patrolman on the police force on December 15, 1910, was born in Clarkson, Monroe County, N. Y., and in the public schools of that town, received his education. Coming to Rochester, he was variously employed and at the time of his joining the police force was with a large wholesale grocery company, occupying a position of trust. Mr. Bovee, is a former president of Branch 12, C. M. B. A., and is a member of the Locust Club. He married Elizabeth Morrison. Their union has been blessed with one child, to whom the name of Morrison was given.



JOHN FRANK HARGATHER

JOHN FRANK HARGATHER, appointed patrolman on the police force on January 15, 1910, was born in Buffalo, but received his education in parochial schools of Rochester. He was variously employed before he became baggage agent of the Erie Railroad in this City, a position he held at the time of his becoming a member of the police Department. He is stationed in the First Precinct, where he is giving faithful service and is well liked. Mr. Hargather is a member of the Locust Club. He married Anna Fricker.

HENRY EDWARD RUPERTI is a native of Baltimore, Maryland, and in the public schools of that city received his education. He worked as a clerk until April 13, 1901, he enlisted, serving until December 1, 1905. He came to Rochester as assistant in the United States Marine Recruiting Office, remaining in that position for fourteen months. He was appointed patrolman on the police force on July 1, 1909, and detailed to duty in the First Precinct. Mr. Rupert is a member of the Spanish War Veterans Association, Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association. He is unmarried.



HENRY EDWARD RUPERTI



ALBERT GEORGE SMITH

ALBERT GEORGE SMITH, appointed patrolman on the police force on January 16, 1910, was born in this city, and in the parochial school of St. Bridget's church received his education. Before he sought the blue coat and brass buttons, he was employed as a shipping clerk in one of the largest industrial establishments of the city, possessing the confidence of those over him. He is stationed in the First Precinct and is well regarded by all who know him. Mr. Smith is a member of the Locust Club and takes a keen interest in its affairs. He is unmarried.

JAMES S. SCOTT, appointed patrolman on the police force on January 1, 1910, is an army man, having served in the Ninth United States Infantry, from which, when his term of enlistment expired he was honorably discharged. He is a native of the town of Ontario, Wayne County, N. Y., and there he was educated. He has been variously employed, as farmer, fireman, engineer, motorman and soldier. His service as motorman lasted six years. In no position has he experienced the satisfaction that has come to him in his present position. He is a member of the Police Benevolent Association and Locust Club. He is single.



JAMES S. SCOTT



GEORGE WILLIAM LINES

GEORGE WILLIAM LINES, appointed patrolman on the police force on January 1, 1911, is a native of England, but was brought to this Country, and to Rochester, by his parents in his boyhood. After an education received in the public schools, he learned to be an electrician and as such was employed at the time of his appointment on the force. He is a member of the Sons of St. George, Masonic Order and Locust Club. Mr. Lines married Bertha Laura Walters. Their union has been blessed with three children, Harold, George and Frank Herbert.

ANTHONY B. GABRIEL was born in Groede, Holland, but was educated here, and for three years fought with the Third United States Infantry in the Phillipine Islands, rising to the rank of first duty sergeant and receiving an honorable discharge at Fort Thomas, Ky., on July 21, 1902. Before receiving appointment as patrolman, he was employed as a motorman and later as a driver for the American Express Company. Mr. Gabriel married Mary N. Van Hyfte, and has three children, Charles, Florence and Louise. He is a member of the F. of A., C. M. B. A., U. S. W. V., and Locust Club.



ANTHONY B. GABRIEL



WILLIAM J. HALLY

JOHN GRIEVE first saw the light of day at Palmyra, Wayne County, N. Y., and his parents moving to this City in his early boyhood, he received his education here in the public schools. Learning the butchering business he was at the time of his appointment as patrolman on the police force, manager of a successful market for employers who held him in implicit confidence. His appointment was made on January 1, 1910, and he was detailed to duty in the First Precinct. Mr. Grieve is a member of the Locust Club. He married Jennie May Carmichael and has two children, Harold John, and Kenneth.

WILLIAM J. HALLY was born in the town of Mendon, Monroe County, N. Y., and in its public school received his education. He became a fireman, but once the desire to become a member of the police force of this city, to which he had come seized him, he knew no rest until he had qualified and had received his appointment. He was appointed on January 10, 1910, and assigned to duty in the First Precinct. He knows the city well and daily is making additional friends. Mr. Hally married Josephine O'Connell and has one child, William E.



JOHN GRIEVE



WILLIAM J. LA BARR

ANDREW J. MOYNIHAN knows Rochester as his birthplace and in its public schools he was given his education. He learned the trade of machinist and diligently pursued it. He liked the work and perhaps only the opportunity to become connected with the police force could have induced him to abandon it. However he had a few regrets over the change which faced him when he was appointed patrolman on September 5, 1885. He is situated in the Second Precinct. Mr. Moynihan is a member of the Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association. He married Mary A. Maloney, by whom he has had one child, Emma.

WILLIAM J. LA BAR is a native of Gaines, Penn., and at Westfield in the same state, received his education. In Westfield his personality and ability won him such appreciation that for two years he was treasurer of the township. Coming to Rochester, he was here a fireman before connecting himself with the police force. His appointment as patrolman was made on January 16, 1910. He is stationed in the First Precinct. Mr. La Bar is a member of the Masonic order and the Locust Club. He married Edna R. Seamans and has one child, Madeline.



ANDREW J. MOYNIHAN



EZRA L. KAUFFMAN

HENRY VALENTINE HANSS, appointed patrolman on the police force on May 16, 1906, is a native of Rochester and at the parochial school of St. Joseph's Church was given his education. He learned the trade of barber and followed it until he became a patrolman. Before joining the force he was a member of the Eighth Separate Company, N. Y. N. G., for some years. He is stationed in the Second Precinct. Mr. Hanss is a member of the Police Benevolent Association, Locust Club and New York State Patrolmen's Association. He married Margaret Lillian O'Brien.



HENRY VALENTINE HANSS

EZRA L. KAUFFMAN, appointed patrolman on March 15, 1906, was body-guard to President Taft while governor-general of the Phillipines and orderly to Generals Lawton, Overshine and Bates at Zapote River, Manila and to General Chafee at Pekin. He was in charge of the legation guard at Pekin to U. S. Minister Conger. He was sergeant in the Ninth U. S. Infantry, serving from 1898 to 1905. He is a member of the Boardman Smith Camp, U. S. W. V., Order of the Dragon, Order of the China Relief Expedition, Army and Navy Union, Eight Army Corps, Foreign Service Union, Liscum Camp, S. P. W. V. He was born in Rochester.



DANIEL J. MURPHY

DANIEL J. MURPHY is a native of West Henrietta, Monroe County, N. Y., and received his education in the common schools and high school of Livonia. Ambition to become a railroad man, he learned to be an operator and was employed as such and as ticket agent by the Lehigh Valley Railroad in Rochester and other places along its line. He was drawn to police duty, and on May 15, 1906, won appointment as patrolman. Mr. Murphy is stationed in the Second Precinct. He is a member of the Knights of Columbus and Union Club. He is unmarried.

JAMES J. DEVEREAUX is a native of Rochester and was educated in the parochial schools of the city. Until the time of his joining the police force he was a clerk. He gladly left the counter for the beat. The day of his appointment was April 15, 1890. Long and faithful service has been given by him. He is stationed in the Second Precinct, where he has had the confidence of his superiors, and the friendship of many citizens. Mr. Devereaux is a member of the C. M. B. A., Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association. He married Margarette T. Griffin, by whom he has had three children, William, Margarette and Marie.



JAMES J. DEVEREAUX



CHARLES G. LAMMEL

ROBERT J. KLEIN is a native of Buffalo, and in the public schools of the windy city was given his education. There, too, he learned the trade of moulder. He came to Rochester and obtaining employment made this city his home. On June 9, 1891, he was successful in obtaining appointment to the police force as patrolman, a position he had desired for some time. Faithfulness and the confidence of his superiors have marked his years of service in the department. Mr. Klein is a member of the Locust Club, Knights of the Maccabees and C. M. B. A. He and Mrs. Klein have four children, William Robert, Anna M. and Leo.



ROBERT J. KLEIN

CHARLES G. LAMMEL is a native of Thalheim, Saxony, and received his education in the public schools of that place. In his youth he learned the trade of carpenter and as a young man served four years in the German Army. Coming to this country after an honorable discharge from the army he made Rochester his home and here plied his trade. His military training and experience tended to draw him towards the police force and on June 29, 1891, he received his appointment as patrolman. Mr. Lammel married Anna C. Simon, by whom he has had three children, May R., Anna and Carl.



GEORGE A. FOX

EDWARD KIRBY is a native of Medina, Orleans County, N. Y., and in the public schools of his home city received his early education. There, too, he learned the trade of cooper and some years later came to Rochester and secured employment. He had an ambition to become a member of the police force and was successful in gratifying it on January 31, 1899 receiving on that date appointment as patrolman. He is stationed in the Second Precinct. Mr. Kirby is a member of the Hiokattoo Tribe, I. O. R. M., Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association. He is unmarried.



EDWARD KIRBY

GEORGE A. FOX, appointed a patrolman on the police force on June 29, 1891, is a native of Rochester and received his education at Public School 9. Learning the trade of lithographer he was steadily employed until ambition spurred him to try for the police force. Faithful service has marked his years as patrolman. He is widely known and well liked. Mr. Fox is a member of the Masonic Order, a Woodman of the World, a Knight of the Maccabees, and has membership also in the Locust Club and State Patrolmen's Association. He married Louise B. Young, by whom he has had two children, Walter and Bernice.



CHARLES F. STEINMULLER

CHARLES DEMLER was born in Mendon, Monroe County, N. Y., and received his education in the public schools of Brighton. Showing an aptitude for the work he was given opportunity to learn the trade of machinist and at this trade he worked until an ambition to become a member of the police department was gratified by an appointment as patrolman on January 1, 1901. Mr. Demler is a member of St. Anthony Association, Police Benevolent Association, State Patrolmen's Association and Locust Club. He married Ellen Lawler, by whom he has had five children, Florence, Loretta, Mildred, Elmer and William.

CHARLES F. STEINMULLER, appointed patrolman on the police force on August 23, 1901, is a native of Rochester and received his education in the public schools of this city. He sought a clerkship and when the time came for him to don a blue coat with brass buttons and grasp the baton, he was stock clerk in one of the largest wholesale clothing establishments in Rochester. Mr. Steinmuller is a member of the Locust Club, Knights of the Macabees and Police Benevolent Association. He married Bella Hutchinson. Their union has been blessed with two children named, Margaret and Raymond.



CHARLES DEMLER



FREDERICK J. DECKER

FREDERICK J. DECKER, appointed patrolman on the police force on November 17, 1894, was born in this city and received his education at Public School No. 7, and the parochial school of SS. Peter and Paul's Church. The trade of machinist was learned by him and steadily followed until he succeeded in winning appointment as patrolman. He is stationed in the Second Precinct, where he is widely known and held in high respect. Mr. Decker is a member of the Locust Club, and C. M. B. A. He married Margaret Schwab, by whom he has had three children, Albert F., Louise M. and Walter J.

WILLIAM MORRICE first saw the light of day at Belleville, Province of Ontario, Canada, and in the public schools of that place received his education. There, too, he learned the trade of shoemaker. A sturdy youth, he early crossed the border and made Rochester his future home and as soon as possible was a candidate for appointment as a patrolman. The appointment was made on January 31, 1899. His services has been most faithful. Mr. Morrice is a member of the Protected Home Circle. He married Mary Ellen Weber, by whom he has had two children, Edward Lisle and Harry Lauren.



WILLIAM MORRICE



JOHN F. CAMPBELL

JOHN F. CAMPBELL, appointed patrolman on the police force on January 25, 1901, was born in Rochester and after attending the public schools took a course in a business college. At the time his ambition to become a member of the police force was gratified, he was in the employ of the Rochester Railway Company as a conductor and known to the officials as one of the most faithful of their men. Mr. Campbell is a member of the Orient Lodge, I. O. O. F. and Woodmen of the World. He married Mary Louise Taylor, by whom he has had three children, John, Kenneth and Robert.

WILLIAM J. OTTO is a native of Rochester and was educated in its parochial schools. Learning the trade of tailor he followed it faithfully, but as soon as opportunity offered was an applicant for appointment on the police force. His appointment was made on April 4, 1904. He is popular not only in the Second Precinct in which he is stationed but widely in other sections of the city. Mr. Otto is a member of the Knights of Maccabees. He married Caroline Emrich, by whom he has had one child, to whom the name of Edwin was given.



WILLIAM J. OTTO



WILLIAM A. O'NEIL

WILLIAM JAMES BOWMAN is a native of Rochester and received his education in its public schools. He learned the trade of piano finisher and held steady employment until an ambition to wear a suit of blue with brass buttons and swing a baton was realized in an order issued by the Commissioner of Public Safety on January 22, 1907. For five years previous he had soothed his ambition with membership in the National Guard. He is stationed in the Second Precinct, in which he is well and widely known. Mr. Bowman married Harriet Frances Ford.

WILLIAM A. O'NEIL was appointed patrolman on the police force on January 16, 1899, is a native of this city and was educated in the public and parochial schools, after which he became a mechanic. From his boyhood he had a desire to be a member of the police force and once equipped, wasted no time in making application. He is stationed in the Second Precinct, where he is widely known and highly regarded by his superiors and the public. Mr. O'Neil married Marie Frances Cuisack, by whom he has had one child named, Sarah Elizabeth.



WILLIAM JAMES BOWMAN



CORNELIUS E. SCHULIK

JOSEPH RENDSLAND was born in Lima, and was there educated in the public schools and later learned the trade of harness maker. He early came to Rochester and soon was an applicant for a position on the police force. His appointment as patrolman was won on September 10, 1888. Faithful years of service has been given by him, and many are the friends he has made. He is a member of the C. M. B. A., Modern Woodmen of the World, Locust Club, Police Benevolent Association and New York State Patrolmen's Association. He married Jennie Martin, by whom he has had two children Reah and Francis.

CORNELIUS E. SCHULIK, appointed patrolman on the police force on July 16, 1904, was born in this city and educated at Public School 14. As a boy he was interested in electricity and when he became older he learned the trade of electrician. As such he was employed and doing well when an ambition to become a member of the police force was realized. He is stationed in the Second Precinct, where he is widely known and well liked. He is a member of the Locust Club, Police Benevolent Association, and the Knights of the Macca-bees. Mr. Schulik married Marie Florence Groh, and has one child, Norenc.



JOSEPH RENDSLAND



FRANK E. ENGLERT

FRANK E. ENGLERT was born in this city and in his boyhood received his education in the parochial schools. Of a mechanical turn of mind he early was given the opportunity of becoming a machinist. He worked steadily at his trade until he sought and obtained appointment as patrolman on the police force. The appointment was made on May 15, 1904. He is stationed in the Second Precinct, where he is widely known and is well liked, holding the respect of his superiors as well as of others with whom he comes in contact. Mr. Englert married Anna Schemenki.

BENJAMIN DAVIS KING is a native of Hubbel, Michigan, and in the public schools of that place received his education. The fascination of railroad work captured him and when, after several years residence in Rochester, he succeeded in gaining an appointment as patrolman on the police force, he also held the position of railroad inspector. The appointment was made on January 16, 1910. Mr. King is a member of the Masonic Fraternity. He married Bertha Corlet and has two children, a son and a daughter, named respectively, Chester and Marjorie.



BENJAMIN DAVIS KING



JOSEPH S. MAJOR

FRANK LANE was born in this city and here was taught in the parochial schools. He was early enamoured with the idea of some day becoming a member of the police force, but reached the realization of his dream by stages. Before he received his appointment as patrolman on August 1, 1910, he was a fireman. He has no doubt as to which position he prefers. He is stationed in the Second Precinct and his familiarity with the city, combined with a sense of duty, is winning for him the approval of his superiors. He is unmarried.

JOSEPH S. MAJOR was born in Rochester and received his education in parochial schools, afterwards learning the trade of carpenter. His ability and skill won for him the position of foreman of construction work for the state. Nothing would do, however, but that he should be a member of the Rochester Police Department and his ambition was realized on December 31, 1908. He is stationed in the Second Precinct, where he has the confidence of his superiors and a wide friendship among citizens. He is a member of the Police Benevolent Association. Mr. Major is unmarried.



FRANK LANE



HENRY FRANK NORMAN

JOHN A. DOYLE, appointed patrolman on July 15, 1908, hails from Canandaigua as his birthplace and there and in the common and parochial schools of Rochester he received his education. He became a meat cutter and at the time his application for appointment as patrolman on the police force was granted, he was manager of a market on Front Street. He is stationed in the second Precinct. He is a member of the Locust Club, Holy Name Society, and Police Benevolent Association. Mr. Doyle married Florence M. Bates, by whom he has had four children, Arlington, Kenneth, John and Dorthy.



JOHN A. DOYLE

HENRY FRANK NORMAN, appointed patrolman on the police force on May 16, 1906, is a native of Rochester and was given his education at St. Mary's Parochial School. He was variously employed, giving faithful service, and at the time an ambition to become a member of the police department was realized, he was a collector for the Rochester Railway & Light Company. He knew the city thoroughly, a fact which aided him early becoming effective in the performance of his new duties. He is stationed in the Second Precinct. Mr. Norman married Margaret Agnes Moran.



CHARLES STROGEN

CHARLES STROGEN is a former corporal of the Ninth United States Infantry, who was guard of honor to General Leonard Wood and again in 1907 to Governor General Wright and Smith at Manila. He was also color guard for General Lee, when he retired from active service. He was appointed police patrolman here on January 16, 1910, and assigned to the Second Precinct. He is a native of Rochester and educated in the public schools. He is a member of the Locust Club, Police Benevolent Association, Foresters of America, Holy Name Society, Knights of Columbus and State Patrolmen's Association.

JOHN CASPAR FRANK boasts of Rochester as his place of birth, and here at the parochial school of St. Boniface Church he received his education. Of a mechanical turn, he became in course of time a machinist and was so employed when on January 25, 1905, he was successful in securing appointment on the police force. He is stationed in the Second Precinct, where he is widely known and well liked. Mr. Frank is an ardent member of the Foresters of America. He married several years ago Cecelia B. Tines.



JOHN CASPAR FRANK



FRANK FORD

MICHAEL FRANCIS GRIFFIN, appointed patrolman on the police force on January 1, 1910, is a native of West Batavia, Genesee County, N. Y., and was educated in the public schools of that city. Entering the employ of a large construction company he rose to be a foreman in charge of structural iron work and was such when he was successful in his application to be a member of the police force. He is stationed in the Second Precinct and has gained the confidence of his superiors. Mr. Griffin married Margaret Teresa Murphy, and has two daughters, Kathleen and Isabel.

FRANK FORD was born in Fairville, Wayne County, N. Y., and attended the public schools of Newark. He learned the trade of machinist, but when the Spanish War broke out he enlisted in the 203rd New York State Volunteers. At the close of the war he resumed his occupation. On January 1, 1906, he was appointed patrolman on the police force. He has been secretary of the Locust Club and Rochester City Lodge I. O. O. F., and in addition is a member of L. Boardman Smith Camp, U. S. W. V., Police Benevolent Association and State Patrolman's Association. He married Lea A. Ashton.



MICHAEL FRANCIS GRIFFIN



HENRY JOSEPH WELKER

HENRY JOSEPH WELKER was born in Germany, but was early brought across the Atlantic by his parents, who settled in Rochester and sent their son to St. Francis Xavier Parochial School. Later he was variously employed and at the time of his joining the police force was a hotel clerk. His appointment as patrolman was made by the Commissioner of Public Safety on March 14, 1907. Faithful service has been given by Patrolman Welker and he is well liked. He is a member of the Locust Club and Fraternal Order of Eagles. His wife's maiden name is Caroline.

EDWARD J. SWEENEY, appointed patrolman on the police force on January 16, 1910, was born at Lima, Livingston County, N. Y., and educated there at St. Rose Parochial School. Prior to his appointment he had been a collector and salesman in the high confidence of his employers. He is stationed in the Second Precinct. Mr. Sweeney is a member of the Young Men's Club, Holy Name Society, Locust Club, Police Benevolent Association and New York State Patrolmen's Association. He married Marie Adelaide Dolan and has two children, to whom the name of Francis and Catherine were given.



EDWARD J. SWEENEY



LEONARD JOHN KIPPHUT

LEONARD JOHN KIPPHUT, appointed patrolman on the police force on January 1, 1910, was born in this city and received his education at Public School 26, at the same time developing musical talents of no mean order. He became an optician and also a musician, but succumbed to the fascination of the policeman's life. He is stationed in the Second Precinct, where he has the confidence of his superiors. Mr. Kippnut is a Knight of Malta and Woodman of the World, and a member of the Locust Club, Police Benevolent Association, and State Patrolmen's Association. He is unmarried.

RICHARD EDWARD MOORE was born in Rochester and received his education at the parochial school of the Immaculate Conception Church. Interested in electricity even in his early years, it was natural that he should learn the trade of electrician and he did, and was so employed when he sought and obtained an appointment as patrolman on the police force. He is stationed in the Second Precinct, where he has gained the confidence of his superiors and is proving faithful to his duties. Mr. Moore is a member of the Locust Club. He is unmarried.



RICHARD EDWARD MOORE



HERMAN BROTZ

HERMAN BROTZ has the distinction of having served in the Spanish War and having been a bodyguard to three generals of the United States Army, Shafter, Miles and Merritt. In the army he served as corporal of Company F, 13th Infantry. He is a native of Germany, but received his education at Public School 26 in this city. He was appointed patrolman on the police force on January 16, 1911. He is a member of L. Boardman Smith Camp, U. S. W. V., Locust Club, Police Benevolent Association, and New York Patrolman's Association. He married Minnie Carolina Gurgle and has two children, Nelson and Herman, Jr.

ARTHUR BRIDGEMAN was appointed patrolman on the police force on March 1, 1909, is a native of this city and received his education in the public schools of the town of Greece. Coming to the city he quickly found employment as a motorman with the Rochester Railway Company and had the confidence of his superiors, won by faithful service, when he received his appointment in the police department. Mr. Bridgeman is a member of the Locust Club, Frankfort Lodge, I. O. O. F., and Genesee Falls Lodge, F. and A. M. He married Mary E. Faulkner. He is stationed in the Second Precinct.



ARTHUR BRIDGEMAN



MAURICE CULHANE

THEODORE JOSEPH FLORACK, appointed patrolman on the police force on January 1, 1910, was born in this city and received his education in its parochial schools. He learned the trade of brass moulder, but never thought such employment compared with the wearing of brass buttons on a blue uniform by a sturdy man with a baton in his hand. The Second Precinct is his station and he is rapidly winning the favor of his superiors and the good will of the citizens with whom he comes in contact. He is a member of the Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association. He married Elizabeth Legler, and has two children, Theodore and Ruth.

MAURICE CULHANE first saw the light of day in Limerick, Ireland, and in that delightful part of Erin's Isle was given his education. Coming to America he made Rochester his home and secured employment as a line-man. Faithful to the last degree he won the confidence of his superiors and was regarded by them as a valuable man. But he wanted to be a policeman and his appointment was made on December 16, 1910. He was promptly detailed to the Second Precinct. Mr. Culhane is a member of the Locust Club, Police Benevolent Association and the Eagles. He is unmarried



THEODORE JOSEPH FLORACK



DANIEL FRANCIS COLLINS

WILLIAM PRIBUS, JR. was born in Germany, but early was brought to this country by his parents and received his education in the public schools of this city. Life in the open air was always preferable to him to any employment indoors, and his first occupation was as a nurseryman. At this work he held to until he was appointed a patrolman on the police force on April 12, 1909. Mr. Pribus is an Odd Fellow and Forester, and also a member of the Locust Club, Police Benevolent Association and New York State Patrolmen's Association. He married Marie Mecalditz and has one child, Viola.



WILLIAM PRIBUS, JR.

DANIEL FRANCIS COLLINS is a native of Rochester, but received his schooling at the first district school of Chili. From his youth, he desired to be a patrolman some day and kept the ambition ever before him. He had been an employ of the Rochester Railway Company and the Vacuum Oil Company, earning with each company a reputation for faithfulness and loyalty, before he received his appointment on the police force. He is stationed in the Second Precinct. Mr. Collins is a member of the Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association. He is unmarried.



GEORGE J. SCHIED

GEORGE J. SCHIED is a native of Brockport, Monroe County, N. Y., and received his education in the parochial school of the Holy Family Church. The stir and change of a railway man's life appealed to him at an early date and obtained a chance as locomotive fireman. It was not long before he had earned promotion to engineer. Such was his employment, when on June 1, 1909 appointment as patrolman on the police force came to him. Mr. Schied is a member of the Locust Club. He married Irene Koor. Their union has been blessed with one child, Irene.

A. WESLEY HOLLIDAY is a native of Liverpool, Pennsylvania, and was educated in its public schools. He was a young man when he came to Rochester. Accustomed to horses and an expert in handling them he succeeded in securing an appointment as driver in the Fire Department. His record was a splendid one, and when he wanted to change to the Police Department no obstacles were put in his way. His appointment as patrolman was made on January 1, 1910, and he was detailed to duty in the Second Precinct. Mr. Holliday married Blanche Mildred Albright and has two children, Katherine and Mildred.



A. WESLEY HOLLIDAY



LEO ANDREW THELEN

LEO ANDREW THELEN, appointed a patrolman on the police force on January 16, 1910, was born in Baltimore, Maryland, and educated there at St. Michael's Parochial School. A salesman at the outbreak of the Spanish War he enlisted, rising to the rank of sergeant major of the Second Battalion, Fifteenth U. S. Infantry. He was post sergeant and custom clerk of the Custom House at Catabalogan Samar, P. I. He was a former assistant department inspector of the Spanish War Veterans and Commander of L. Boardman Smith Camp, U. S. W. V. He married Cora May Arehambault.

WILLIAM J. SCHMIDT appointed patrolman on the police force June 1, 1905, was born in this fair city and at Public School No. 18 was given his education. He learned to be an ice-cream maker, but early listened to the call of the baton and brass buttons. He is widely known in the second precinct, in which he is stationed and beyond its limits. He has the confidence of his superiors and possesses many friends. Mr. Schmidt is a member of the Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association and keeps in touch with their affairs. He married Flora Rose.



WILLIAM J. SCHMIDT



FORREST ALLEN BURNE

FORREST ALLEN BURNE knows Rochester as the place of his birth and the public schools as the provider of his education. He entered one of the largest button plants of this city and learned to be a button maker, and remained in that employment until he was successful in winning a place on the police force. His appointment as patrolman was made on December 15, 1910. He is stationed in the Second Precinct and takes pride in the duties given him. The uniform and all its suggestions mean much to him. Mr. Burne married Jessie Graig.

JOHN J. LYNCH was appointed patrolman on the police force on December 1, 1893. He was born in this city and educated in St. Patrick's Parochial School. He wanted to be a railway man and gained employment on the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg Railway; he rose to be conductor and remained in that position until he became a member of the police department. Mr. Lynch is a member of the Order of Railway Conductors, Glidden Camp, S. of V., Locust Club, Independent Order of Foresters, Police Benevolent Association and Holy Name Society. He married Nellie T. Hartnett and has one child, Agnes S.



JOHN J. LYNCH



ROBERT B. CLARK

NICHOLAS JEFFERSON LOOS was born in Rochester, but received his education at District School No. 6, Irondequoit, N. Y. He found employment as a butcher and followed the meat business for a number of years. While working at his trade, he enlisted as a member of the national Guard and the military accomplishments he acquired as a soldier in the service of the state, made the life of a policeman appeal strongly to him and he was fortunate enough to secure an appointment as patrolman on July 1, 1874. Mr. Loos is a capable officer and is well liked and trusted by his superiors. He married Mary A. Quinn and they have five children, Stella H., Ada E., Zuma B., Elias J. ann Camilla.



NICHOLAS JEFFERSON LOOS

ROBERT B. CLARK, appointed patrolman on the police force on May 16, 1906, is a native of the town of Clarkson, Monroe County, N. Y., and in the common and high schools of that place he received his education. Coming to Rochester he secured employment as an oil filterer with the Vacuum Oil Company and remained with this firm until he donned his uniform and took up his duties in the police department. He is stationed in the Third Precinct where he is widely known and highly regarded by his superiors and the public. Mr. Clark is unmarried.



HENRY F. PRIEN

HENRY F. PRIEN, appointed patrolman on the police force on January 31, 1899, was born at Savannah, Missouri, and received his education in the public schools of that place. Prior to his selection as a member of the police department he was employed as an electric light trimmer by the Rochester Railway & Light Company. He is stationed in the Third Precinct. Mr. Prien is a Maccabee of the World, Forer of America and member of the Police Benevolent Association and Locust Club. He married Elizabeth Ramieser and has five children, Walter, Marion, Rhoda, Ellessa and Eunice.

FRANK VINCENT HACKETT knows Pittsford, Monroe County, N. Y., as his native place and in its public schools received his education. He came to Rochester and secured a position as motorman with the Rochester Railway Company and held it until on January 31, 1889, he succeeded in gaining appointment as patrolman on the police force. He is stationed in the Third Precinct, where he has the confidence of his superiors and the good will of the public. Mr. Hackett is a member of the Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association.



FRANK VINCENT HACKETT



WILLIAM H. SMITH

WILLIAM H. SMITH, appointed patrolman on the police force on September 10, 1888, was born in the town of Riga, Monroe County, N. Y., and in its district school received his education. He learned the trade of machinist. A skilled workman, he nevertheless began early to look forward to becoming a member of the police department, and did not rest until he succeeded. He is stationed in the Third Precinct, where he commands the respect of his superiors and has many friends. He is a member of the Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association. He married Charlotte M. McGahn and has six children, Alice, Florenee, Grace, George, Mabel and Ray.

PAUL WADDINGTON, appointed patrolman on the police force on February 1, 1899, was born in Greece, Monroe County, N. Y., but received his education at Public School No. 15 in this city. He was employed steadily at different occupations until he succeeded in winning an appointment to the police department. He is stationed in the Third Precinct, where he has many friends and is held in regard by his superiors. Mr. Waddington is a member of the Woodmen of the World. He married Georgina J. Wilson and has two children, Paul and Alice K.



PAUL WADDINGTON



JOHN SHIRE

JOHN SHIRE was appointed patrolman on the police force on October 13, 1899. He is a native of this city and was educated at the parochial schools of SS. Peter and Paul's Church. He learned the trade of machinist and followed it until some years after he succeeded in becoming a member of the police force. He is stationed in the Third Precinct, where he enjoys the confidence of his superiors and many friendships. Mr. Shire is a member of the Locust Club. He married Elizabeth Merkel, and has three children, John, Mary and Charles.

GEORGE G. ALT, appointed patrolman on the police force on April 18, 1900, was born in this city and received his education in its public schools. He learned the trade of tinsmith and followed it for several years as a journeyman, after which ambition led him to an appointment as an inspector in the employ of the city. Ambition again was responsible for his successful endeavor to become a member of the police department. Mr. Alt is a member of the Independent Order of Foresters. He married Elizabeth Libbie Alt, and has four children, Irving, Lillian, Raymond, and Esther.



GEORGE G. ALT



DANIEL SCHOUT

DANIEL SCHOUT, appointed patrolman on the police force on December 21, 1898, was born and educated in this City. Here he learned the trade of painter. This he followed, and being of an independent mind, he became a contractor in this line. Genuine attraction for the duties and life of a policeman was responsible for his joining the force. Mr. Schout is a member of the Police Benevolent Association and Locust Club. In the Third Precinct in which he is stationed he is widely known and highly respected. Mr. Schout married Nettie Uebel and has three children, Mamie, Daniel and James.

HERMAN FREDERICK LUDKE was born in Grumsdorf, Pommern, Germany, and in public schools of his native place received his education. He learned the trade of bricklayer and mason and came across the Atlantic to America, making Rochester his home. He began to prepare himself for the performance of the duties of a policeman and on August 31, 1901, his appointment as patrolman was made. Mr. Ludke is a member of the Police Benevolent Association, Locust Club, Beethoven Singing Society and Foresters of America. He married Emma C. Witzel and has three children, Karl H., Mary M., and Olga J.



HERMAN FREDERICK LUDKE



JOSEPH F. CLAESGENS

JOSEPH F. CLAESGENS was appointed patrolman on the police force on April 5, 1894 and is now stationed in the Third Precinct, where he is widely and favorably known by the public, and possess the confidence of his superiors. He is a native of Kalamazoo, Mich., and there he was educated. There also he learned the trade of machinist at which he was employed in this city before he received his appointment to membership in the police department. Mr. Claesgens is a member of the C. M. B. A. He married Anna M. Schwab and has two children, George and Agnes.

CHARLES T. O'BRIEN, appointed patrolman on the police force on April 13, 1905, was born in this city and received his education in the public schools. He learned the trade of boiler maker and at this occupation was steadily employed until he put on the blue uniform and took the baton in hand. He is stationed in the Third Precinct, in which he is widely known and holds the appreciation of his superiors. Mr. O'Brien married Anna Wahl, and has two children, to whom have been given the names of Mildred and Wilbur.



CHARLES T. O'BRIEN



FRANK MORAN

FRANK MORAN was born in Henrietta, Monroe County, N. Y., and received his education in the public schools of that place. Coming to Rochester he learned the trade of machinist and followed it faithfully and with profit. Indoor work, even though extremely interesting to him, compared unfavorably in his mind to the performance of the duties of a policeman and he decided to be a candidate for the force. He qualified and received his appointment on June 17, 1905. He is stationed in the Third Precinct, where he has the confidence of his superiors and is well and favorably known. Mr. Moran is unmarried.

CLEON H. WILKINS, appointed patrolman on the police force on September 16, 1910, is a native of this city and in its parochial schools he received his early education. He was employed as an assembler and held a position of trust with the E. R. Fry Florist Company. He is stationed in the Third Precinct, where strict attention to his duties and a genial manner have won him the approbation of his superiors and the good will of the public. Mr. Wilkins married Mary L. Downs and has one child, a son, Cleon H. Jr., has blessed their union.



CLEON H. WILKINS



MICHAEL BOEHM, JR.

PETER ALONZO KIMBALL, appointed patrolman on the police force on January 1, 1906, was born in this city and educated in its parochial schools. He was variously employed and at the time of his joining the force was a lineman with one of the telephone companies operating in this city. His faithful service as an employee assisted him in his ambition to be a patrolman and in the Third Precinct, to which he was detailed he is widely and favorably known. Mr. Kimball is unmarried.



PETER ALONZO KIMBALL

MICHAEL BOEHM, JR. was born in Rochester and educated in the parochial school of Holy Family Church. He learned the trade of shoemaker, but gave it up forever on December 1, 1909, he received an appointment as fireman in the Rochester Fire Department. His real ambition was to become a member of the police force and he received his appointment as a patrolman on January 16, 1910, after he had served six weeks as a fire fighter. He is stationed in the Third Precinct. Mr. Boehm is a member of the Police Benevolent Association and C. M. B. A. He is unmarried.



WILLIAM JOSEPH ROSSITER

WILLIAM JOSEPH ROSSITER, appointed on the police force on July 20, 1905, was born in the Town of Williamson, Wayne County, N. Y., and in the public schools of that place and Ontario High School, Ontario, he received his education. He entered the employ of a railway company and rose to be conductor, and was such when he won his place in the police department of this city. Mr. Rossiter is a member of the C. M. B. A., Police Benevolent Association and Locust Club. He married Louisa M. Klem and has three children, Mae, Joseph and William.

ALBERT J. BARTLETT was appointed patrolman April 16, 1910, a former sergeant in the Eighth U. S. Cavalry in which he served three years, after serving three months in the Seventh Light Battery, New York State Volunteers. He saw service in the Spanish War. He was born in Fairport, Monroe County, N. Y., was educated there and in the schools of Honeoye Falls, and later learned the trade of barber. Mr. Bartlett is a member of L. Boardman Smith Camp U. S. W. V. He married Viola M. Salle and has one child, Ruth B.



ALBERT J. BARTLETT



PATRICK B. MCCARTHY

PATRICK B. MCCARTHY, appointed patrolman on the police force on June 16, 1909, served a good apprenticeship in being house detective at the Powers Hotel for some time previous to making his application for a position in the department. He is a native of Victor, Ontario County, N. Y., and there was educated in its public schools. Leaving home for the city, he was engaged in several ambitions before he began to sigh for the brass buttons and the baton. He is stationed in the Third Precinct, where he is widely known and well liked. Mr. McCarthy is unmarried.

BERT LOUIS HELLIS is one of the younger, but more enthusiastic members of the Rochester Police Force, his appointment as patrolman dating only from January 16, 1910. He was born in this city and received his education in the parochial schools. He learned the trade of carpenter and was doing well, but found the fascinations of patrolman's life too strong. On his appointment he was detailed to the Third Precinct, making a good impression upon his superiors and adding to the number of his friends. Mr. Hellis married Mary Fisher and has two children, Marion and James Arthur.



BERT LOUIS HELLIS



WILLIAM GEORGE WILSON

WILLIAM GEORGE WILSON is another instance of a fire fighter in the Rochester Fire Department preferring service on the police force. He was a fireman of six years' service from March 20, 1905, to January 16, 1910, when he was appointed police patrolman. He was born in this city and received his education in the public schools and Rochester Business Institute. He is stationed in the Third Precinct, in which he has many friends. Mr. Wilson married Rose Caroline Wilson and has two children, Austin and William.

ARTHUR G. BARRY is a member of the police department who has a naval record in the Spanish War, in which he served as a member of the United States Marine Corps. He is perhaps the best revolver shot on the force. Mr. Barry was born in this city, educated in the parochial schools and here learned the trade of electrician. He was appointed a patrolman on June 1, 1905. He is a member of the Spanish War Veterans and of the Order of Serpent. He married Helen Barry and has one child, Hiltrude.



ARTHUR G. BARRY



EDWARD B. DRISCOLL

EDWARD B. DRISCOLL was born in Stanley, Ontario County, N. Y., and in the public schools of that place and Elmira and Canandaigua Academy, Canandaigua, he received his education. He became a salesman and was successful in his work, winning the confidence of firms for which he worked. On May 8, 1906, he realized an ambition to become a member of the police department, being appointed as patrolman. He is a member of the C. M. B. A. and Locust Club. He married Jennie A. Kerrigan.

CHARLES WILLIAM YOCKEL is one of the younger patrolman of the police department, having been appointed to the force on January 16, 1910. He is a native of this city and received his education in its public and parochial schools. He learned the trade of steam fitter and as such was steadily employed, in the confidence of his employers, until he left them to don his uniform and take up his baton. He is stationed in the Third Precinct, where he is liked by a large acquaintanceship and is rapidly winning the appreciation of his superior officers. Mr. Yockel is unmarried.



CHARLES WILLIAM YOCKEL



WILLIAM R. FORD

WILLIAM R. FORD was born in Rochester and at the parochial school of St. Bridget's Church received his education. Clerical work pleased him best after he had received his schooling and he was shipping clerk in a large establishment when the time came for him to leave the business work and take up the duties of a patrolman on the police force. His appointment was made on September 1, 1909. He was detailed to duty in the Third Precinct, and there he is regarded as winning his way. Mr. Ford is unmarried.

GEORGE JOHN NEIDERT, appointed patrolman on the police force on October 1, 1904, is a native of this city and here, at the parochial school of St. Joseph's Church he was educated. He learned to be a lithographer and followed the trade until the desire of his heart was realized and he became a patrolman. He is stationed in the Third Precinct where he enjoys the confidence of his superiors and the friendship of many. Mr. Neidert is a member of the Locust and Colonial Clubs. He married Anna Niona Hahn. He has no children.



GEORGE JOHN NEIDERT



JOHN JOSEPH MERKEL

JOHN JOSEPH MERKEL was appointed partolman on the police force on May 16, 1906, is a native of Rochester and was educated in the parochial school of SS. Peter and Paul's Church. He went to work well equipped for the clerkship he secured and at the time he became a member of the police department was filling a responsible position with a large firm in State Street. He was detailed to duty in the Third Precinct, and there has made many friends and the confidence of his superiors. He married Minerva Louisa Graham and has two children, Harold Kenneth Frederick and Ruth.

WILLIAM KLINE, JR., appointed patrolman on the police force on January 1, 1910, is a former sergeant in the Second Infantry, U. S. A., in which he served three years, in the Philippine Islands and elsewhere. He was born at Lyons, Wayne County, N. Y., and educated in its common and high schools. By trade he is a machinist. Mr. Kline is a first lieutenant of Canton Frankfort, I. O. O. F. and past senior vice-commander of the same and Alliance Encampment I. O. O. F., and past chief patriarch of Frankfort Lodge and Guiding Star Rebecca, I. O. O. F. He is also a member of L. Boardman Smith Camp U. S. W. V. He married Viva E. Benham.



WILLIAM KLINE, JR.



GEORGE JOHN O'BRIEN

JOHN N. WAGNER, appointed patrolman on the police force on July 16, 1910, was born in Rochester, but his parents removing to Clarendon. He was educated in the public schools of the latter place. Returning to his native city, he was engaged as a street car conductor in the employ of the Rochester Railway Company when he succeeded in obtaining his place in the police department. He is stationed in the Third Precinct, where faithful performance of his duties has won the appreciation of his superiors.



JOHN N. WAGNER

GEORGE JOHN O'BRIEN was born in the City of Rochester and here received his education in the parochial schools. Various employment he had from his boyhood a great love for horses and an ability to handle them. He became driver and did well and was happy until the time came for him to to don a uniform and take up a patrolman's club. Then he was happier than ever. This happened in January 1, 1910. He was detailed to duty in the Third Precinct, where he is fast making friends and winning his way into the confidence of his superiors. Mr. O'Brien is unmarried.



GEORGE HERMAN VICTOR BOWMAN

GEORGE HERMAN VICTOR BOWMAN, appointed patrolman on the police force on December 1, 1909, was born in Rochester and received his education in the public schools. Fascinated by the charms of military service he enlisted and for three years was a member of Company C First Battalion of U. S. Engineers. Returning to Rochester after his honorable discharge he was employed as a shipping clerk in one of the large industrial establishments of Rochester when he received his appointment as patrolman. Mr. Bowman is a For-ester. He married Lucile Eckel and has two children, Doris and Lucile.

JULIUS LAWRENCE was born in this city and received his education in its public schools. His love of horses and his ability to handle them, in addition to a thorough knowledge of the streets were early responsible for his becoming a driver and he remained at this occupation until the desire of his heart was gratified and he was appointed patrolman on the police force. This happened on January 16, 1910. He was detailed to duty in the Third Precinct. There he is rapidly gaining the attention of his superiors and widening the circle of his friends. Mr. Lawrence is unmarried.



JULIUS LAWRENCE



FRANK HENRY GALL

FRANK HENRY GALL is one of Rochester's sons and has all his life been identified with its interests. After spending his boyhood days in St. Michael's School he became a pressman. His faithfulness and integrity made him many friends and were largely responsible for his securing an appointment in the Police Department, January 16, 1910. Mr. Gall married Miss Minnie Boeh, who with two sons, John and Robert, complete the family.

WILLIAM LEO SANDER was born in Rochester and in the public and parochial schools of the city received his early education. He learned the trade of machinist and at it was constantly employed until he was able to have realized a longing of some years to be appointed patrolman on the police force. This appointment came to him on February 17, 1897. He is widely known and has many friends. Mr. Sander is a member of the New York State Patrolman's Association, Locust Club, Police Benevolent Association and the Catholic Men's Benevolent Association. He married Harriet Reisig.



WILLIAM LEO SANDER



EDWARD JOHN YOUNG

EDWARD JOHN YOUNG was appointed patrolman on the police force on July 1, 1904, has an enviable war record, having served throughout the Spanish War and the Phillipine Insurrection with the Seventh Battery, Light Artillery, New York Volunteers, the Thirteenth United States Infantry and the Seventy-first Coast Artillery U. S. A. He is a native of Rochester and was educated in the public schools and Salem German School. His occupation, apart from service, was an architectural iron worker. Mr. Young is a member of the Foresters of America, United Spanish War Veterans, Locust Club, Police Benevolent Association. He married Caroline Miller.

PHILIP GEORGE AMLINGER was born on July 10, 1864, in the town of Sheldon, Wyoming County, N. Y., and after an education in the public school of that place learned the trade of mason. Coming to Rochester he held steady employment until on November 17, 1894, he was appointed a patrolman on the police force. He prefers the baton to the trowel and has no desire to go back to his trade. He married Christina Birch. Their union has been blessed by two boys, whom they named Alfred A. and Angus C. Mr. Amlinger is a member of the Order of Eagles. He is stationed in the Fourth Precinct.



PHILIP GEORGE AMLINGER



EDWARD JOSEPH PFITSCH

EDWARD JOSEPH PFITSCH who has served long and faithfully on the police force, is a native of Rochester and was born on June 9, 1867. His education was received at St. Joseph's Parochial School, and public School, where he left to learn the trade of tailor. His appointment as patrolman was made on December 1, 1893. He is stationed in the Fourth Precinct. Mr. Pfitsch married Emma Knuth. They have one daughter, whom they named Ruth Irene. He is a member of the Locust Club, Police Benevolent Association and Siegel Tent of the Knights of Maccabees.

WILLIAM J. HOEY, appointed patrolman on the police force on May 1, 1899, is a native of Auburn, Cayuga County, N. Y., and in the public and parochial schools of that city received his education. He was not in Rochester long, enjoying employment as shipping clerk, when ambition to connect himself with the police department was aroused in him. He had little difficulty in qualifying and the day on which he first donned his uniform of blue with its brass buttons was a proud one for him. Mr. Hoey is unmarried. He is a member of the Locust Club and the Police Benevolent Association.



WILLIAM J. HOEY



JOHN MARTIN LEARY

JOHN MARTIN LEARY first saw the light of day at Brighton, Monroe County, and received his education at St. Mary's Parochial School in this City. An opportunity to learn the trade of upholster was accepted at an early age and he was at this work when on August 3, 1901, his endeavors to gain appointment as patrolman on the police force were successful. Mr. Leary married Sarah Willis. Mr. Leary's interests and pleasures are combined in his connection with the police department and the two organizations in which he is proud to be enrolled as a member are the Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association.

ALEXANDER ASHLEY by birth is a Canadian, having been born in Kingston, Ontario. There he was educated in the common schools and was employed until he came to Rochester and secured employment with the Rochester Railway Company as a street car conductor. He soon was a seeker for appointment to the police force and duly qualified became a patrolman on March 18, 1896. Mr. Ashley married Lizzie Macram and their union has been blessed with three children, two boys and a girl, whose names are; George, Ethel and Harry. Mr. Ashley is an Odd Fellow and a member of the Locust Club.



ALEXANDER ASHLEY



ADAM APPEL

ADAM APPEL was born in this city and here was educated, first in the public schools and then in a business college. Finding employment in one of the large nurseries for which Rochester is famous, he made this his business and at the time he sought and obtained appointment to the police force, had risen to the position of foreman. He became patrolman on March 17, 1902. He is well and favorably known, especially in the Fourth Precinct, to which he is detailed. Mr. Appel married Miss Fredericka Kerber and their union has been blessed with three children, Henry, Amelia and Walter.

IGNATZ HETZLER, appointed patrolman on September 25, 1899 ranks among the members of the police force who have a war record. As a member of the 202nd New York Volunteer Infantry, he did his full service in the Spanish war. Mr. Hetzler is a native of this City and received his education in the parochial school of St. Joseph's Church. He learned the trade of blacksmith. He is a member of the Spanish War Veterans, Independent Order of Foresters, Rochester Benevolent Society, Police Benevolent Association and the Locust Club. He married Anna Metzler, by whom he has had three daughters, Edna, Margaret and Viola.



IGNATZ HETZLER



JOHN H. McMAHON

JOHN H. McMAHON was appointed patrolman on the police force on April 27, 1900. Before that happy day came he was a motorman in the employ of the Rochester Railway Company, performing his duties and gaining an experience which was to stand him in good stead in the days when he was to wear the suit of blue with brass buttons and swing a baton. Mr. McMahon is a member of the Woodmen of the World. He married Miss Susan Stupp, and eight children have blessed their union, Charles, Susie, Mary, Libbie, Nellie, John, Bryan and Robert. He is stationed in the Fourth Precinct.

FREDERICK F. REITZ, appointed patrolman on the police force on January 1, 1910, knows Germany as his native country. He was brought to America by his parents at an early age and thereafter had Rochester as his home. Here at Public School 26 he received his education and when he left there it was to learn what was to him fascinating trade of lock-maker. Although not tired of tools and locks, it became an ambition with him to become a patrolman. His application soon was successful. Mr. Reitz is unmarried. He is wrapped up in his work and has no affiliations except with the Police Benevolent Association, of which he is an enthusiastic member.



FREDERICK F. REITZ



JAMES L. TULLY

THOMAS L. GLANTSCHNIG is a native of Rochester and was educated at the parochial school of the Holy Redeemer Church. He was variously employed with increasing betterment and at the time he was appointed patrolman on the police force was a salesman for the National Biscuit Company. For some time he had been desirous of appointment and it came to him on May 16, 1906. Mr. Glantschnig is a member of the Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association and enjoys a pleasant membership in an organization which bears the pleasing appellation of the Unique Social Club.



THOMAS L. GLANTSCHNIG

JAMES L. TULLY is a native of Le Roy, Monroe County, N. Y., and received his education in its public schools. The fascinations of the steam railroad had their charms and when he left school it was to become within a comparatively short time a locomotive fireman. He was at this employment when on April 16, 1910, he was given appointment as patrolman on the police force. Mr. Tully is unmarried. He still retains his membership in the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers and is also a member of the Police Benevolent Association and the Locust Club.



WILLIAM EVANS

GEORGE CHARLES EMER was born in this city and received his education at Public School 9 and the parochial school of St. Joseph's Church. He early had an ambition to become one of Rochester's fire fighters and realized it, but after some years of service came to think that the lot and duty of a member of the police force was preferable. His record as a fireman assisted him in securing an appointment as a patrolman on July 10, 1905. He lost no time in taking advantage of it and his wide acquaintance with the city assisted in making him valuable. Mr. Emer is unmarried.



GEORGE CHARLES EMER

WILLIAM EVANS hails from Ireland and in the parochial schools of his native country received his education. It was not long after his coming to this country that he made Rochester his home and in time secured employment in the freight house of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, when he sought and obtained appointment as patrolman on the police force on January 16, 1910, he had risen to foreman. Mr. Evans married Elizabeth Kingston. They have two children, Richard T. and Elizabeth A. Mr. Evans is a member of the Police Benevolent Association.



EDWARD JOHN SCHWAB

EDWARD JOHN SCHWAB was appointed patrolman on the police force on June 1, 1905. He was born in this City and received his education in the parochial school of St. Michael's Church. Early in life he began to make his way for himself and learned the trade of trunk maker. He liked his employment, but harbored a desire to join the police and swing a baton. Finally he applied for appointment and had his desire gratified. He is not sorry for the change. He is stationed in the Fourth Precinct. Mr. Schwab married Miss Elizabeth Preston. He is an enthusiastic member of the Foresters of America.

ALBERT EDWARD SINDEN is a native of Rochester and was educated in the public schools of the city. When a salesman in the employ of the Vacuum Oil Company he gratified a boyhood's ambition by becoming a member of the city fire department. He liked his work but the strongest appeal of his life came from a desire to be a member of the police force. He succeeded in getting his appointment as a patrolman on June 1, 1902. Mr. Sinden is unmarried. He is a member of the Fire and Police Benevolent Association, Locust Club and Vacuum Oil Benefit Association.



ALBERT EDWARD SINDEN



ELMER LEONARD HIPPI

ELMER LEONARD HIPPI is a native of the town of Penfield and there received his education. When he came to Rochester he secured employment as a motorman with the Rochester Railway Company and after a period of faithful service was successful in gaining an appointment as patrolman on the police force on January 16, 1910. Mr. Hipp is a member of the Locust Club. He is stationed in the Fourth Precinct. Mr. Hipp is married, his wife's maiden name being Nellie May Cobb. Their union has been blessed with two children, Elinor and Norma.

THOMAS E. STALLMAN is a native of Rochester and in its public schools was educated. He learned the plumbing trade and up to the time of his appointment as patrolman on the police force on January 16, 1910 pursued it without interruption except for his service in the Spanish War. He enlisted in the Twenty-Sixth U. S. Volunteer Infantry on August 3, 1899, and was mustered out on May 13, 1900. Mr. Stallman is a member of the Spanish War Veterans, Police Benevolent Association and Locust Club. He married Mary E. Monroe and has two children, Thomas F. and Marion A.



THOMAS E. STALLMAN



FRANK CHUDZINSKI

FRANK CHUDZINSKI, though of Polish family, was born in Berlin, Germany, but early crossed the Atlantic to this country and received his education in American public schools. Here he learned his trade of tailor and as such was employed when he applied for an appointment to the police force, successfully took the civil service examination and on January 1, 1910, was made a patrolman. Mr. Chudzinski is a member of the Police Benevolent Association, Polish National Alliance, Polish Falcon Turners and the Locust Club. He is stationed in the Fourth Precinct. He is well and widely known.

MICHAEL KELLY was born in Dromahair, County Leitrim, Ireland, and in the public schools of his native place received his education. Emigrating to America he made Rochester his future home and cast an eye of desire upon the blue uniform and brass buttons of the patrolman. He was employed as a lineman by the Rochester Railway and Light Co., when on December 16, 1910, his longing for appointment was gratified. He is stationed in the Fourth Precinct, where he has become widely known and liked. Mr. Kelly is an Eagle and a member of the Police Benevolent Association. He here married Miss Elizabeth Smith.



MICHAEL KELLY



CHARLES LAWRENCE

CHARLES LAWRENCE is a native of Rochester and a product of the common schools of this City. His education completed, he secured employment in a tailor shop, where he served his apprenticeship and later worked as a journeyman. The bench had no charms for him comparable with those of the patrolman's beat and he determined to become a member of the police force. He passed a creditable examination and on May 16, 1906, received his appointment. Mr. Lawrence is a member of the Locust Club. He married Dora Kleiman. One child has blessed their union, a son, to whom was given the name of Ralph.

THEODORE A. NEIDERT, appointed patrolman on the police force on December 15, 1910, was born in this city and received his education at St. Mary's Parochial School, after which he learned photo-engraving. A proof of his standing with his fellow workers may be found in their electing him to the vice-presidency of their union. While a young officer, Mr. Neidert has given good service in the department and has gained a wide acquaintance among the people with whom he comes in contact. He is a member of the Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association. He is unmarried.



THEODORE A. NEIDERT



JAMES HENRY MOORE

JAMES HENRY MOORE, appointed patrolman on the police force on January 16, 1910, was born in Parma, Monroe County, N. Y., but early had Rochester for his home. In the parochial schools he was educated and when he went out to work learned the trade of trunk maker. This was his employment when his ambition was realized in an order appointing him to the police force. Mr. Moore is a member of the Police Benevolent Association. He married Miss Lula Marie Slattery. Their union has been blessed with one child, a daughter, whom they named Alice. Mr. Moore is detailed to the Fourth Precinct.

HARRY CLIFFORD SCHOVE, appointed patrolman on the police force on May 16, 1906, was born in Rochester and here received his education in the public schools. He was employed as a salesman when the desire to become a policeman became irresistible. His application was soon followed by his qualification for appointment and the order which made him a policeman soon followed. Mr. Schove is a member of the Locust Club and the Police Benevolent Association. He is unmarried. His duties lie in the Fourth Precinct, where he is widely known and well liked.



HARRY CLIFFORD SCHOVE



JAMES JOSEPH O'FLYNN

JAMES JOSEPH O'FLYNN is a native of this city and here at St. Bridget's School he received his education. Later the allurements of a railroad man's life captured his youthful imagination and he was still in the employ of one of the roads entering this city when he made his successful application for a position on the police force. He was appointed a patrolman on October 16, 1910. Mr. O'Flynn performs his duties well in the Fourth Precinct and is liked by those with whom he comes in contact. He is unmarried. He is a member of the Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association.

JOSEPH R. HOLENSTEIN was born in this city on May 21, 1884, and in the public schools received his education, after which the factories of the Eastman Kodak Company gave him employment. In the course of time he was attracted to the police force and, having made his application and duly qualified, on May 16, 1906, he was appointed patrolman. Mr. Holenstein married Marie Flynn by whom he had two daughters, Grace and Helen. He divides his interests between his family and his duty as a member of the police force.



JOSEPH R. HOLENSTEIN



WILLIAM A. DOHERTY

JOHN MILTON RAGAN, appointed patrolman on the police force on January 16, 1910, was born in this city and educated at St. Mary's Parochial School and at the Rochester Business Institute, where he completed a two year's course in bookkeeping. He became an electrician and at the time of his entry upon police duty was in the electrical department of the Rochester Railway & Light Co. and treasurer of the Electrical Union. He served seven years in the New York State Naval Militia. Mr. Ragan is a member of the Police Benevolent Association, Locust Club and Foresters of America. He is unmarried.



JOHN MILTON RAGAN

WILLIAM A. DOHERTY was appointed patrolman on the police force on December 31, 1909, was born in Prince Edward Island, but removed in his youth to Milo, Maine. There he received his schooling. When he came to Rochester he obtained employment as a motorman with the Rochester Railway Company, he was attracted to police duty, took the examination and had little difficulty in qualifying. His appointment soon followed. He is unmarried. His interests are in his work, as is indicated by the fact that he is a member of no other organizations except the Locust Club and the Police Benevolent Association.



LOUIS JOSEPH DISPENZO

LOUIS JOSEPH DISPENZO is a native of Valdormo, Italy, but was brought when very young to this country and Rochester became his home city. At Public School 14 he received his education. At the time of his appointment as a patrolman on the police force, on September 1, 1907, he was in the employ of the Hyde Drug Company, a concern with which he had been for some years. Mr. Dispenzo is an enthusiastic member of the Woodmen of the World. He is unmarried. Assigned to the Fourth Precinct, patrolman Dispenzo is highly regarded by his superiors and has the confidence of the people of his own nationality.

WILLIAM RUDOLF MILLER was born in our sister city of Batavia, which has a world wide reputation in the manufacturing of agricultural implements. He, however, moved to Rochester in his early youth and attended the public schools. After receiving his education, he was employed in one of the large shoe manufactories for which Rochester is famous, until he received an appointment on the Police Force, May 16, 1906. Mr. Miller is still a bachelor.



WILLIAM RUDOLPH MILLER



THOMAS SHEEHAN

THOMAS SHEEHAN, a son of the Emerald Isle, was born April 1, 1865. He was educated in the land of his birth. He had many times heard the story of America, and when opportunity presented itself, he decided to see for himself the land that proclaims the doctrine: "All men are created equal." At the time of his appointment, Sept. 6, 1892, he was in charge of a department in one of the many large drygoods houses of the city. Mr. Sheehan is a well known Elk and has many friends in the fourth precinct, where he is stationed.

JOHN F. CARROLL was born in this city and in the parochial schools received his education. In looking about for an occupation he decided to become a gas fitter. He learned the trade and followed it faithfully up to the time he succeeded in becoming a member of the police force with the rank of patrolman. The appointment was made on July 1, 1904. Mr. Carroll is married, winning his wife in this city. Her maiden name was Emma Limbach. Their union has been blessed with two children, and both of them are boys. Their names are Francis and Joseph.



JOHN F. CARROLL



LOUIS G. FLECKENSTEIN

LOUIS G. FLECKENSTEIN first saw the light of day in Rochester. After receiving his education in the parochial schools he learned the trade of cigar maker, following it without cessation until the time came for him to don a uniform of blue with brass buttons and carry a baton. Indoor work had no appeal for him and his naturally athletic constitution craved the clear, fresh, outdoor air, and the activity of a patrolman's work. He was appointed patrolman on June 2, 1901, and is a member of the motorcycle squad in connection with the Fifth Precinct. Mr. Fleckenstein married Minnie Dedrich. They have no children.

THOMAS F. O'CONNOR was born in this city and received his education in the Christian Brothers' School in Brown Street, after which he learned the trade of mason. From his early youth he had a desire to become a wearer of the blue uniform and swing a baton, and after his application he qualified and on November 12, 1887 he was made happy with an appointment to the police force as patrolman. Mr. O'Connor is a member of Branch 121 C. M. B. A. He married Catherine O'Grady. Five children have blessed their union and bear the names of Thomas, Gerald, Le-Claire, Geraldine and Katholen.



THOMAS F. O'CONNOR



MARTIN THOMAS COOK

MARTIN THOMAS COOK was appointed patrolman on the police force on May 28, 1895, is a native of Canada and in the public schools near his home received his education. Crossing the border when a very young man he secured employment here with a brewery, but kept a longing eye on the day when he might succeed in winning a place on the police force. He is widely known and is well liked and is proud of his uniform. Mr. Cook married B. May Tierney. Their union has been blessed with three children, A. Lawrence, Thomas M. and Francis H.

WILLIAM G. SCHWING was born in this city. Here he received his education in the public schools, and on leaving them learned the trade of boiler maker. To swing a baton instead of a hammer seemed better to him and he successfully sought for appointment on the police force, gaining his desire on May 28, 1905. The change of occupation he has never regretted for a single moment. Mr. Schwing is a widower. At the death of his wife he was left with five children, four of them girls. They are: Blanche, Harold, Elsie, Gertrude and Ruth.



WILLIAM G. SCHWING



MARTIN RAYMOND CULLEN

JOHN GEORGE RIES is a native of Rochester and received his education at Public School 21, and the parochial school of the Holy Family Church. He learned the trade of shoemaker and was diligent at his work until an ambition to be a wearer of the blue uniform with the brass buttons was realized in his appointment as patrolman on August 21, 1901. In the years since then he has added constantly to his friends and gained the estimation of his superiors. He is a member of the C. M. B. A. Mr. Ries married Magdalena E. Krewer. Three children have blessed their union, Magdalena, Anna and Mary.

MARTIN RAYMOND CULLEN was born in Rochester and here received his education in parochial schools. Seeking his own independence he secured employment as a clerk and was so engaged when the hope of some years was realized and he became a patrolman. His appointment to the police force was made by the Commissioner of Public Safety on June 19, 1899. In the years since he has added constantly to his friends and won the respect of his superiors. Mr. Cullen is a member of the Locust Club. He married Anna Mattes. Their union has been blessed with one son, James W.



JOHN GEORGE RIES



THOMAS H. LAMBERT

JAMES E. MURPHY is a native of Rochester and received his education at Cathedral parochial school, after which the railroad enticed him and he became a locomotive fireman on the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad. An ambition to become a patrolman on the police force of the city was realized in the appointment which was made on May 19, 1901. He is a member of the Police Benevolent Association and Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers. Mr. Murphy is a widower, with two children, who bear the names of Raymond J. and A. Adelaide.



JAMES E. MURPHY

THOMAS H. LAMBERT is a native of Prince Edward County, Ontario, Canada, and in the public school of his home village received his education. When a very young man he crossed the border and made Rochester his future home. Here he was variously employed and at the time of his receiving his appointment as patrolman on the police force on November 1, 1905, was a driver for one of the express companies, operating in this city. Mr. Lambert is a member of Tribe of Ben Hur and an Odd Fellow. He married Alice R. Chambers, and their union has been blessed with two children, Alice M. and Gordon K.



CHARLES WEBER

CHARLES WEBER is a native of Utica and in his young days was educated in the parochial schools of that city. When old enough, he secured employment as a locomotive fireman and was employed as such when he succeeded in winning an appointment as patrolman on the Rochester Police Force on November 13, 1887. He has never had a regret at the step he took and remains proud of the uniform. His service has been most faithful in character. Mr. Weber is a member of the C. M. B. A. He married Elizabeth Smith, by whom he has had seven children, Ida, Edward, Libbie, Lottie, Charles, Albert and George.

JOHN F. HALLORAN is a native of Batavia, Genesee County, N. Y., and in the public and parochial schools of that city received his education. There he learned to become a sheet metal worker and it was at this occupation that he was employed when after some years he came to Rochester to make it his future home. On June 1, 1905, an ambition was gratified in his appointment as patrolman on the police force and the opportunity was accepted without delay. In the years of service since then he has been found faithful. Mr. Halloran is an ardent member of the Catholic Men's Benevolent Association and the Knights of St. John. He married Madelin Metzger.



JOHN F. HALLORAN



MARTIN JOHN ROWAN

FREDERICK ALBERT FRICKE was born in Rochester, but his parents moving to Gates, received his education in the public schools of that town. He early answered the call of the bell cord and fare register and became a conductor in the employ of the Rochester Railway Company. He was a good conductor, but the work of the police appealed to him and he did not rest until he secured appointment as patrolman. This came to him on December 16, 1910. He is unmarried.



FREDERICK ALBERT FRICKE

MARTIN JOHN ROWAN was born in Scranton, Pennsylvania, but at an early age was brought to Rochester, and here educated. Passing from the common schools he took a course in the East High School and then learned the trade of steam fitter. Steady as a clock at his work he looked with envy on the sturdy patrolmen in their helmets and blue uniforms and decided to be one himself. No inducements could deter him. He made his application, successfully took the regular examination and on January 16, 1910, was appointed a patrolman. He is unmarried.



ALBERT FRANCIS NORTHROP

CORNELIUS FREMOUW is a native of Newark, Wayne County, N. Y., and there was educated in the public schools and later learned his trade of wood maker. In time he left his native city and came to Rochester, and secured employment, in which he was perfectly content until the charm of a patrolman's life appealed too strongly to him. Content came again when on December 15, 1909, he received his appointment to the police force and was given a beat. He is married. His wife's maiden name was Amelia L. Appel. They have no children.

ADELBERT FRANCIS NORTHROP, was born in Pendleton, Erie County, N. Y., and received his education in the public schools of Gasport. He came to Rochester and entered the employ of the E. M. Upton Cold Storage Company, rising to the position of superintendent of their ice handling department. This position he held when, after successfully taking the examination following his application, he was appointed patrolman on the police force on January 1, 1910. He married Anna Maud Babcock and they have three children, Aden Henry, Gertrude Violet and Adelbert Francis.



CORNELIUS FREMOUW



GEORGE L. SAILER

WILLIAM PATRICK MERRON was born in Rochester, but received his education in the public schools of West Henrietta and Scottsville High School. Returning to this city, he entered the employ of the National Express Company as a clerk. With fair prospects ahead he decided that he would be a member of the police force, and was soon successful in his application. His appointment as patrolman was made on January 15, 1910. Mr. Merron married Anna Harrington and they have two children, Ruth L. and Thomas R.

GEORGE L. SAILER, appointed a patrolman on the police force on January 16, 1910, is a native of Rochester. His education was received at the parochial school of SS. Peter and Paul's Church, and when he was finished with it learned the trade of cooper. He was a good cooper, but handling the hoops and staves was not in his eyes comparable with the twirling of a club, and he did not rest until he had been appointed on the police force. He is married, his wife's maiden name being Jennie A. Reinhart. They have two children, Mildred and Norbert.



WILLIAM PATRICK MERRON



FREDERICK WILLIAM RUPP

FREDERICK WILLIAM RUPP, appointed patrolman on the police force on December 15, 1910, was born at Watertown, N. Y., but received his schooling at St. Mary's Parochial School. Going out to earn his living he became an awning maker, but soon enlisted in the United States Navy, from which at the end of his service he received an honorable discharge. He retained a membership in the Army and Navy Union. Returning to Rochester, Rupp sought and obtained appointment on the police force. He is married. His wife's maiden name was Isabelle Florence Whitney.

GEORGE VALENTINE HEISEL is a native of Rochester and in the parochial school of SS. Peter and Paul's Church he received his education. Until the fascination of a patrolman's life appealed so strongly that he could resist it no longer, he was employed as a clerk in one of the busiest stores of the city. His appointment to the police force came to him on May 16, 1906. The work of a patrolman is just what he likes. He has many friends. He is married, his wife's maiden name being Laura Anna Stephen. Their union has been blessed with one child, a boy whom they named Raymond.



GEORGE VALENTINE HEISEL



MICHAEL O'NEILL

GEORGE M. PFEIFFER is a native of Rochester and was educated in the public schools. He learned the trade of wood worker. He was one of the first to volunteer for service in the Spanish War. When the fighting was over he returned to Rochester and took up his regular occupation again. His experience in the army made factory life uncongenial to him and he became an applicant for appointment on the police force. The appointment came on December 16, 1905. He married Fannie S. Smith. They have two children, Mabelle and Harold. Mr. Pfeiffer is a member of Court 1687, Independent Order of Foresters.



GEORGE M. PFEIFFER

MICHAEL O'NEILL is a native of Ireland and there was educated in the national school near his home. At an early age he came to this country and located in Rochester. Here he had various employment, making many friends and learning much that was to be known about the city. When he decided that his future should be in the police force he was well equipped for the duties he was to be given. His appointment as patrolman came to him on May 16, 1906. He married Mary Hocfen, and they have one child, Marion. Mr. O'Neill is a member of the Locust Club, in which he takes a deep interest.



EDWARD PETER GYSEL

EDWARD PETER GYSEL, appointed patrolman on the police force on June 16, 1909, is a native of this city and was educated in one of its parochial schools. He learned early the trade of tailor. The blue uniform with its brass buttons had its appeal, and the outdoor life it involves were too much for a man of his tastes. He sought appointment as a patrolman and obtained it without difficulty. He has never regretted the step. He has many friends. He is married. His wife's maiden name was Freida Meyer. One child, Marion, has blessed their union.

JACOB FALK, appointed patrolman on the police force on December 16, 1910, is a native of this city and received his education at Public School 9. When ready to work, he entered a shoe factory and was employed as a trimmer of his appointment. Factory employment had no charms for him and the day he donned the uniform for the first time and took the baton in hand was a happy one. He is satisfied and seeks no further change. He married Katherine Bernstein, by whom he has had two daughters Genevieve and Isabelle.



JACOB FALK



BENJAMIN B. JORDON

CHARLES WILLIAM DOYLE is a native of Auburn, Cayuga County, N. Y., and there was educated in the parochial school of the Holy Family Church. When he left his native city it was to seek employment in Rochester. When he was appointed patrolman on the police force he had reached the position of clothing salesman and stock keeper and the firm which employed him parted with him with regret. His appointment was made on May 16, 1906. Mr. Doyle is a member of the Modern Woodmen of America. He is married, his wife's name being Dalla C. Courneen. They have three children, Margaret, Charles, and Frances.



CHARLES WILLIAM DOYLE

BENJAMIN B. JORDON is a native of Rochester and here received his education in the common schools. Early apprenticed he became a machinist and was working at his trade when ambition prompted him to try for a position on the police force. His appointment as patrolman was made on January 16, 1910, and he has not had a regret over the step he took. Having spent all his life in this city, he knows it thoroughly and has many friends. So far, there is no Mrs. Jordon to make home bright for him.



HENRY EMMETT KELLY

ANDREW J. KAVANAUGH first saw the light of day in a small hamlet in County Wexford, Ireland, and in the public schools near his home received his education. Coming to America he made Rochester his home and plied his trade of carpenter. He was naturalized in due time and attracted to the work of the police set his eye upon appointment to the force. His hope was realized on June 16, 1910, by an order making him patrolman. He donned his helmet and uniform with pride and asks for no greater honor than to be known as a good and true officer. He is unmarried.



ANDREW J. KAVANAUGH

HENRY EMMETT KELLY was born in the town of Phelps, Ontario County, N. Y., and in its parochial schools received his education. There, too, he learned his trade of carpenter. In time he came to Rochester and secured employment. Soon he had longings to become a member of the police force and set about satisfying them. His application resulted in his appointment as patrolman on January 16, 1910, and plane and saw were set aside and the baton firmly grasped. Everything connected with his duties pleased him. He is unmarried.



CHARLES ZEINER

JOHN P. RILEY was born in Rochester and here has lived without extended absence. His education was received in the parochial schools, and when it was finished his fascination for horses resulted in his becoming a teamster. His work familiarized him with all portions of Rochester and gave him an exceptionally large acquaintance, two things which have stood him in good stead as a policeman. His appointment as a patrolman was made on June 1, 1905. He married Rose Weisner. They have three children, Thomas, John and James.



JOHN P. RILEY

CHARLES ZEINER is a native of this city and received his education in its public schools. Early at work for his living, he had reached a position as foreman where he was employed when his ambition to become a member of the police force was realized on January 15, 1910, by his appointment as patrolman. The same thoroughness which won him promotion as an employee is maintained in the performance of his duties as a patrolman. He married Anna Sehadeli, by whom he has two children, Norma and Edna.



WILLIAM HENRY COVENEY

JOSEPH G. SCHMUCKER is a native of Rochester and received his education at the parochial school of SS. Peter and Paul's Church, after which he learned the trade of shoemaker. He was working at his trade and doing well when on March 16, 1893 he had an early desire gratified in receiving his appointment as patrolman on the police force. Mr. Schmucker is widely known among all classes and is stationed in the Sixth Precinct. He is a member of the K. O. T. M., Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association. He married Miss Anna R. Shay, by whom he has had two children, George and Delia.

WILLIAM HENRY COVENEY was born on the Canadian side of the border and was educated in the parochial school at his birthplace. Coming across to the United States, he decided to make Rochester his home. Here he found employment as a conductor with the Rochester Railway Company, a position he held at the time he succeeded in obtaining appointment as patrolman on the police force on February 1, 1907. He is married, his wife's name being Margaret Alice Meagher. They have three children, Henry, Joseph and Frederick William. Mr. Coveney is a member of the Locust Club.



JOSEPH G. SCHMUCKER



LUTHER O. GOULD

WILLIAM GEIB is a native of Rochester and is a product of its public schools. His education received, he secured employment with a large firm and at the time of his leaving to take up his duties as a patrolman was a salesman. His appointment as patrolman on the police force was made on December 21, 1899. He is a member of the Masonic Order and of the Locust Club. He married Miss A. Genevieve Burnette. Their union has been blessed with two children, a son and a daughter, to whom were given the names of Marion and William D. Patrolman Geib is stationed in the Sixth Precinct.



WILLIAM GEIB

LUTHER O. GOULD, appointed patrolman on the police force on June 1, 1905, was born at Wheatville, Genesee County, N. Y., and his parents moving to Rochester, was educated in this city at Public Schools 4 and 19. The fascination of railroading captured him and he rose to become a locomotive engineer on the B. R. & P. and the B. & S. Railroads. He is a member of the Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, Lodge 660 F. and A. M., Lallah Rookh Grotto and Locust Club. He married Miss Minnie L. Burne. Their union has been blessed with two children, Thelma P. and Harold E.



JOHN B. TOOMEY

JOHN B. TOOMEY claims Brighton as his birthplace and there, and in the schools of Rochester received his education. Learning the trade of carpenter he was steadily employed in building until the time came when his wish to become a member of the police force was realized, in an order on August 4, 1896, appointing him a patrolman. Mr. Toomey is a member of the C. M. B. A., Holy Name Society and Locust Club. He married Miss Agnes E. Curvin and their union has been blessed with three children, a son and two daughters, to whom the names of Frank, Marie and Ann were given.

FRANK V. NATT was born in Palmyra, Wayne County, N. Y., on April 25, 1864, and in the public schools of that city was educated. In the course of time he became a store keeper, but wearied of days behind a counter and looked with longing eyes at the life of the policeman. After he had made Rochester his home for several years he sought an appointment as patrolman and gained it on June 29, 1891. He is a member of the Locust Club. Mr. Natt married Clementine Miller and their union has been blessed with three children, Harold, Helen and Warren.



FRANK V. NATT



CHRISTIAN BOWERS

CHRISTIAN BOWERS is a native of Rochester, but his parents moving to Avon, Livingston County, N. Y., he received his education in the public schools of the latter place. An opportunity to learn the trade of carriage maker was taken advantage of and this was his employment up to the time he was appointed patrolman on the police force of Rochester on June 29, 1891. Mr. Bowers is a member of the Masonic Order, Knights of the Maccabees and Locust Club. He married Miss Louise Geib and has two daughters, to whom the names of Genevieve and Grace were given.

JOHN M. TOUHEY first saw the light of day at Canandaigua, Ontario County, and in the public schools of that place received his education. Prior to his entering the police force with rank of patrolman on July 1, 1891 he was employed in a picture frame factory in this city. He is stationed in the Sixth Precinct, where he is well and widely known. Mr. Touhey is an ardent member of the Independent Order of Foresters. He married Miss Margaret E. Price. Their union has been blessed with nine children, to whom were given the names: Jean, George, Ralph, May, Mildred, James, Frances, Marie and Louis.



JOHN M. TOUHEY



EDWARD T. BURKE

EDWARD T. BURKE has been a member of the Rochester Police Department since January 31, 1899. Previous to his appointment, he was a trusted employe in the service of the New York Central Railway Co., filling a position as clerk in the freight department. Mr. Burke was born in Rochester and was a student in its parochial schools. He is a member of the Police Benevolent Association, and the proud father of three children, Nora, John and William.

PATRICK J. SULLIVAN was born in this city on February 15, 1869, of worthy Irish parents. He received his education in the parochial schools and then excellently equipped, went out to make his way. He was industrious and ambitious, possessed undoubted integrity and a cool business head. He soon was a milk dealer and doing well when the opportunity to join the police force presented itself. His appointment as a patrolman was made on November 27, 1893. An instance of the confidence reposed in him is his having served as administrator of an estate. Mr. Sullivan married Mary A. Logan and has three children. He is a member of the Locust Club and C. M. B. A.



PATRICK J. SULLIVAN



JOSEPH M. HEINTZ

JOSEPH M. HEINTZ is a native of Rochester and here in one of the parochial schools received his education. He early learned the trade of decorator and such was his employment when on March 27, 1899, he was appointed patrolman on the police force. He is stationed in the Sixth Precinct, where he is widely known and well liked. Mr. Heintz is a member of the Locust Club and long has been an ardent member of the Independent Order of Red Men. Some years ago he married Miss Elizabeth Swanton. Their union has been blessed by one child, a daughter, to whom was given the name of Elizabeth.

ROBERT R. WILLIAMSON was appointed patrolman on the police force on April 4, 1894, first saw the light of day in a pretty hamlet in County Cork, Ireland, and in the district school near his home received his education. Coming early to this country he was variously employed until an ambition to become a patrolman was gratified. Mr. Williamson is a member of the Locust Club, Police Benevolent Association and the State Police Association. He was married some years ago to Kate Forbes. Two children have blessed their union. Harold James and Edwin Richard are their names.



ROBERT R. WILLIAMSON



MATHEW J. LALLY

JOHN DWYER first saw the light of day in Perinton, Monroe County, N. Y., and there was educated in its public schools. Forsaking the quiet ways of the town for the stir of the city, he obtained employment with the Rochester Railway Company, giving faithful service and winning the approbation of his superiors. Qualifying for appointment as a patrolman the order making him a member of the police force was issued on August 15, 1904. Mr. Dwyer married Agnes O'Brien. He is a member of the Locust Club and takes a deep interest in its affairs.



JOHN DWYER

MATHEW J. LALLY who was appointed patrolman on the police force on December 19, 1898, was born in Little Falls, Herkimer County, N. Y., and was educated at Lyons Union School and Academy, Lyons, Wayne County. Coming to Rochester he was employed as salesman and collector at the time of his appointment on the police force. Mr. Lally is an enthusiastic member of the Woodmen of the World and the Locust Club. The maiden name of Mr. Lally's wife was Mary Peart. Mr. Lally is one of the best known policemen in the Sixth Precinct.



SAMUEL C. BALDWIN

FRANK ECKRICH is a native of Dansville, Livingston County, N. Y., and in the public schools of that place received his early education. Leaving his home he secured employment as a lineman with the Edison Electric Company, and ability and faithful service resulted in his being raised to the position of foreman. His wish to become a patrolman on the police force of this city was realized on January 1, 1901. He is stationed in the Sixth Precinct, where he is widely and favorably known. Mr. Eckrich is a member of the Forsters of America, Locust Club and Elks. Some years ago he married Miss Julia Powers.



FRANK ECKRICH

SAMUEL C. BALDWIN who was appointed patrolman on the police force on June 29, 1891, was born in Riga, Monroe county, N. Y., and in its public schools received his education. Leaving quiet Riga for the city, he in time secured an appointment as keeper at the State Industrial School, there maintained in Backus Avenue, but held an ambition to become a policeman. He has given many years of faithful service in the city. Mr. Baldwin is a member of the Independent Order of Red Men, a Mason and a member of the Locust Club. He married Helena R. Baldwin.



WILLIAM H. BAUMAN

WILLIAM H. BAUMAN is a native of this city and received his education at Public School 19. He learned the trade of steam fitter and was engaged in this occupation until he received his appointment as patrolman on June 1, 1905. In the years he has been connected with the department he has made many friends, especially in the Sixth Precinct in which he has been stationed. Mr. Bauman is an enthusiastic Odd Fellow and a member of the Locust Club. He married Emma M. Imhoff. Their union has been blessed with three children, Walter, Ethel and Lewis.

EDWARD MEAGHER, appointed patrolman on the police force on June 16, 1910, was born in the town of Livonia, Livingston County, N. Y., and there received his education. Faithful as the day he has been driver, conductor, and fireman in this city, filling each position to the satisfaction of his employer. He long had an ambition to become connected with the police department. He is proud of his uniform and faithful in the performance of his duties. Mr. Meagher is a member of the Locust Club. He is stationed in the Sixth Precinct.



EDWARD MEAGHER



LEE EMANUEL MILLER

EDWARD COPENHAGEN was born in this city and in its public schools received his education. He was early apprenticed to a carpenter, in the due course of time became a tradesman and held steady employment until his ambition to become a member of the police department was gratified by his appointment as patrolman on December 16, 1910. Mr. Copenhagen is unmarried. He is a member of the Locust Club. Throughout the territory comprising the Sixth Precinct, he is well and favorably known, and the policeman's life pleases him better day by day. He is a member of the Locust Club.

LEE EMANUEL MILLER is a native of Lyons, Wayne County, New York, and was educated in the Union School of that city. Coming to Rochester he became a motorman, and making friends with members of the police force, decided to become a patrolman. He successfully took the examination and on June 7, 1906, received his appointment. Throughout the Sixth Precinct he is well known and liked and takes pleasure in the performance of his duties. He married Elizabeth J. Hart and by her has three children, Durand D., Thelma E., and Leon M. He is a member of the Locust Club and the Maccabees.



EDWARD COPENHAGEN



ANTHONY L. WIRTH

CLARK J. GREEN was born in Marion, Wayne County, N. Y., and received his education in the common schools of Wolcott. When he came to Rochester he secured employment and at the time of his appointment as patrolman in the police department on June 1, 1905, he was an expert stove moulder. Mr. Green has the confidence of his superiors as his assignment as acting sergeant proves. He is a member of the Locust Club. Mr. Green married Rose E. Heindl. Their union has been blessed with two children, both girls, to whom the names of Grace H. and Marion I. were given.



CLARK J. GREEN

ANTHONY L. WIRTH is a native of this city and received his education in the parochial school of the Holy Family Church. Opportunity arising he took advantage of it and became an optician, but the employment lost its charm when he began to consider what the life of a patrolman on the Rochester Police Force offered. He succeeded in winning appointment to the force on June 1, 1905. Some years ago he married Martha A. Haus, by whom he had one child, Lois M. Mr. Wirth is a Knight of the Maccabees and a member of the Locust Club.



GEORGE WARNOCK

GEORGE WARNOCK is a native of Rochester and received his education in its public schools. He was early taught the trade of shoemaker and pursued it until he realized his ambition of becoming a member of the city's police force. His appointment was made on January 1, 1909. Mr. Warnock is an enthusiastic Red Man, a member of the Association of Haymakers and Hio-Katoo Tribe, I. O. R. M. He is also a member of the Locust Club. He married Mary Eva Murtha. Their union has been blessed with two children, who bear the names of George and Harold respectively.

EDWARD H. F. FISHER is one of the younger and promising members of the police force. He received his appointment as patrolman on December 16, 1910, and at once donned the uniform and began his duties, being detailed for service in the Sixth Precinct. There he has been making a good impression upon his superiors and winning the regard of the public. He was born in this city and received his education in the parochial school of the Holy Redeemer Church, after which he learned the trade of piano maker. Mr. Fisher is a member of the Locust Club, C. M. B. A. and Y. M. C. A. He is unmarried.



EDWARD H. F. FISHER



ROBERT JOHN DOLAN

GEORGE E. STEINMILLER is a native of Rochester and here received his education in the public schools. Seeking his first employment he was engaged at one of the many camera works in this city and was a valued camera maker at the time he succeeded in winning appointment as a patrolman on the police force. His appointment came to him on January 16, 1910. Mr. Steinmiller is a member of the Aurora Lodge and Unity Encampment, I. O. O. F., National Protective Legion and Locust Club. He married Gertrude E. Mumford. At present he is connected with the Sixth Precinct.



GEORGE E. STEINMILLER

ROBERT JOHN DOLAN was appointed patrolman on the police force on December 16, 1905. He was born in Rochester and here in the parochial and public schools received his education. The printing office and its presses had their first claim on him and he became a pressman, continuing at this employment until his desire to become a member of the police force was gratified. He married Agnes Breen. Among the organizations to which he belongs he places the Locust Club in the fore front. He is well known in the Sixth Precinct, and elsewhere in the city.



FRED W. YOUNG

FRED W. YOUNG, who was appointed patrolman on the police force on March 16, 1906, is a native of Rochester and here received his education in the public schools. No sooner was he out of school than the fascinations of a railroad life seized him and he became a locomotive fireman. He did not weary of this, but soon determined to make a change if he could win a place on the Rochester police. His desire was gratified. Mr. Young is unmarried. He is an enthusiastic member of the Locust Club

WILLIAM PIFER is a native of Rochester and a product of its public schools. He early showed capacity for the work of a machinist and when the time came learned the trade. He was successful at his work, but liked better the idea of becoming a patrolman in the police department. On January 16, 1910 he secured his appointment. Mr. Pifer is married, his wife's maiden name being Mary Purchell. Among the organizations of which he is a member and takes great interest are the Locust Club and the Police Benevolent Association.



WILLIAM PIFER



EDWARD WILLIAM COLLINS

WILLIAM HERBER NELLIS, appointed patrolman on the police force, July 1, 1904, is a native of this city, and here in the public schools received his education. Faithfulness and work won the appreciation of his employers and when he left them to don a blue coat and brass buttons he held the position of foreman. He early married Elizabeth Leonore Callahan. Their union has been blessed with three children, Florence, Raymond and Madeline. The same thoroughness which made him successful as an employee marks his work as a police officer.

EDWARD WILLIAM COLLINS was appointed patrolman on the police force on January 1, 1910. He is a native of this city and received his education at Cathedral school. He lost no time in seeking employment and satisfied an early ambition when he became a stationary engineer. His next great desire was to join the Rochester police force and this was duly realized. Mr. Collins is a member of the Locust Club. He married Mary Agnes Nolan and their union has been blessed with four children, Martin, Harold, Alice and Mildred.



WILLIAM HERBER NELLIS



JEREMIAH MCCARTHY

JEREMIAH MCCARTHY first saw the light of day in Cork, Ireland, and in the common schools of that fair city on the Emerald Isle received his education. Early coming to this country he made Rochester his home and here was employed as a laborer. In time he sought to wear a blue coat with brass buttons and wield a baton, and on January 1, 1910, he received his appointment as patrolman on the police force. Mr. McCarthy is a member of the Locust Club. He married Mary A. Allen, by whom he has had three children to whom the names of Mary, Dan and Margaret have been given.

GEORGE H. ANDERSON first saw the light of day in Rochester and here received his education in the public schools. Seeking employment he secured work with an express company and was highly regarded by his superiors, when he received his appointment as patrolman on the police force on January 16, 1910. He is married, his wife's maiden name being Clara L. Aldred. Three organizations claim him as a member and hold his interest. They are the Locust Club, Court Genesee, I. O. F., and the Elks.



GEORGE H. ANDERSON



OTTO F. ISLER

LESTER L. LOUTH was born in West Walworth, Wayne County, N. Y., but received his education at Public School 18 in this city. Entering the plant of the Rochester Camera Company he held the position of foreman at the time of his appointment as patrolman on May 15, 1905. He is detailed on the motorcycle squad and stationed in the Second Precinct. Mr. Louth is a member of Valley Lodge, F. and A. M., Locust Club, Police Benevolent Association and New York State Firemen's Association. He married Lorena Baxter, by whom he has had two children, Esther B. and Katherine F.



LESTER L. LOUTH

OTTO F. ISLER, appointed patrolman on the police force on September 28, 1898, is a native of Shortsville, Ontario County, N. Y., and was educated in the schools of Dansville. Prior to his becoming a member of the police department he was employed as a night watchman. In April, 1909, he was assigned as a member of the motorcycle patrol in the First Precinct, a position he still holds. Mr. Isler is a member of the Foresters of America, Knights of the Maccabees, Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association. He married Jane Amanda Tilden and has four children, Philip L., Seward Frank, Emilia L. and Helen G.



HENRY T. COPENHAGEN

HENRY T. COPENHAGEN was appointed to the police force on October 1, 1904. He was born in this city and received his education in its public schools. He became a clothier and was such when he became a member of the police department. He is stationed in the Third Precinct, where he enjoys a wide acquaintance and has the confidence of his superiors. Mr. Copenhagen is a member of the Macabees, Union League Club, Police Benevolent Association, Locust Club and the K. O. T. M. He married Emma Geis.

GEORGE ANTHONY HUNT, a member of the police motorcycle squad, was appointed patrolman on the police force on February 1, 1907, after being a fireman and having served in the United States Navy during the Spanish-American War and the Philippine Insurrection. He is a native of Rochester and was educated here in the public schools and by private tutor. As a member of the motorcycle squad he has done excellent service and in motorcycle races is known as a capable and daring rider. He has won several medals and trophies. Mr. Hunt is a member of the United Spanish War Veterans, Locust Club and Rochester Motorcycle Club.



GEORGE ANTHONY HUNT



MARTIN J. REICHENBERGER

WILLIAM J. FARRON, appointed patrolman on the police force on June 1, 1905, is a native of Rochester, and was educated in Public Schools 8 and 9, and then learned the trade of blacksmith. In the Spanish War he was a non-commissioned officer of Volunteers, and has occupied positions of trust with the veterans of that contest. He was elected treasurer of the 202nd Veterans Association and is a member of the U. S. War Veterans 25. In addition he is a member of Genesee Falls Lodge, F. and A. M. Mr. Farron married Miss Florence M. Brown, and has two children, Marion F. and Florence M.

MARTIN J. REICHENBERGER, appointed patrolman on the police force on May 22, 1890, was born in this city and educated at the parochial school of SS. Peter and Paul's Church. On leaving school he became a butcher and retained that as his trade until he put on the blue coat with the brass buttons and went on duty as a patrolman. He married Katherine Young and by her has had four children, of which three are girls. Their names are Alma, Marion, Esther and Frances. Mr. Reichenberger is a member of the Maccabees and the Foresters of America.



WILLIAM J. FARRON



GEORGE RUTHENBERG

FREDERICK V. BEACHEL was born at Batavia, Genesee County N. Y., and in the public schools of that place received his education. He loved horses and until his appointment as patrolman on the Rochester Police Force, was employed as a teamster, working in this city for several years before his appointment on March 16, 1893. He is stationed in the Sixth Precinct as a mounted patrolman. Mr. Beachel is a member of the Locust Club and the Maccabees. He married Harriet E. Murphy, by whom he has had four children, William S., Frank J., Harold G. and Harriet M.

GEORGE RUTHENBERG is a product of Rochester, having been born in the Flower City, July 25, 1879. After completing his education in the public schools, he became a bridgebuilder and was working at his trade, when he enlisted under the banner of Uncle Sam and for five years seen service in the Spanish-American War and the Phillipine Insurrection. He returned to his native city, having an honorable discharge and soon secured an appointment, October 1, 1904, as patrolman, one year later, June 1, 1905, he was assigned to the mounted squad. Mr. Ruthenberg is a member of the Locust Club and the Police Benevolent Association. He is unmarried.



FREDERICK V. BEACHEL



FRANK SIMON BURGETT

FRANK SIMON BURGETT first saw the light of day at Avon, Livingston County, N. Y., and in the common and high schools of that place was give his education. He held for some time to the prosperous farm on which he was raised and then came to Rochester with the intention of making the city his future home. He soon was stirred with an ambition to become a member of the police force, prepared himself, made application and took the examination successfully. He is stationed in the Third Precinct where he is well and favorably known. He is unmarried.

JOSEPH L. DUNNIGAN is a native of Auburn, but was educated in the parochial schools of Rochester. Horses appealed to him with the result that he became a farrier, and followed that occupation until his desire to become a member of the police force resulted in his receiving appointment as patrolman. He joined the force on July 1, 1904. Mr. Dunnigan married Lillian C. Kinney. For a number of years he has served in the fourth precinct, attached to the mounted squad.



JOSEPH L. DUNNIGAN



RICHARD EARL TYLER

RICHARD EARL TYLER is a native of Livonia, Livingston County, N. Y., and in the district school of that place was educated. Livonia offered little to a youth who had no desire to remain a villager and he came to Rochester. At the time he succumbed to the temptation of a blue coat and brass buttons he was a car inspector. His appointment as a patrolman on the police force was made on June 1, 1905. He is detailed as mounted patrolman in the Fifth Precinct. His wife's maiden name was Mable Piric. They have four children, Richard, Sidney, Ray and Viola.

HERBERT A. HAZELL is a Hoosier by birth, having first seen the light of day, June 15, 1874, in the city best known in the world for its agricultural implements, South Bend, Indiana. His parents moved to the Empire State in his early years and he attended the common schools of Bergen. He was engaged in various pursuits, previous to his appointment on the force June 1, 1904, first as Postmaster of his village, grocer and an employe of the Rochester Railway Co. for seven years. He was assigned to the mounted squad, which position he still holds. Mr. Hazell married Miss Clara Rossiter and six girls and one son have blessed the union. When not on duty, he spends his time with his family, the Locust Club, I. O. F., Holy Name Society and the P. B. A.



HERBERT A. HAZELL



WILLIAM MICHAEL LINDNER

WILLIAM MICHAEL LINDNER was appointed patrolman on the police force on May 15, 1904. He was born in Canandaigua, Ontario County, N. Y., but received his education at Public School No. 9 in this city. Previous to his appointment on the police force he was a fireman. Mr. Lindner is a capable member of the traffic squad, and serves at the Four Corners, the busiest and most exacting spot for traffic work in the city. There his courtesy has won him many friends, and his ability the commendation of his superiors. He is a member of the Locust Club. He married Eleanor Virginia Davis, and has one child, Margaret Virginia.

MICHAEL J. DOYLE is a native of Ireland, but was early brought to this country and educated at the parochial school of St. Bridget's Church. He was a lineman in the employ of the Rochester Railway and Light Company, when on June 1, 1904, his ambition to become a member of the police force was gratified by his appointment as patrolman. Few men in the department are more widely known or have more friends. Many duties have been given him to perform, and at present he is a member of the traffic squad. Mr. Doyle is a member of the Elks. He married Helen McCarthy, and has one child, Veronica.



MICHAEL J. DOYLE



TIMOTHY F. NYHAN

TIMOTHY F. NYHAN came to Rochester from Ireland, the land of his birth, when a very young man. He had been educated in the schools at home, and brought with him a desire to make his way in the country he was to adopt as his own. Soon he was a fireman, but that was secondary to the police in his eyes and he sought and obtained appointment as patrolman. His appointment to the force was made on December 15, 1905. He is stationed in the First Precinct, where he has the confidence of his superiors and possesses many friends. Mr. Nyhan married Mary F. Dwyer.

JAMES RICHARD MORAN first saw the light of day in Mendon, Monroe County, and in the schools of Rush he received his education. Leaving the country for the city, he obtained employment as motorman with the Rochester Railway Company and served them for some years with a faithfulness and ability which held for him the high appreciation of officials. His appointment as patrolman was made on July 1, 1904. He is stationed in the First Precinct. Mr. Moran married Delia Marie Lynch and has one child to whom was given the name of Madeline.



JAMES RICHARD MORAN



ARCHIE H. SHARPE

ARCHIE H. SHARPE first saw the light of day in Rochester, and in St. Patrick's Parochial School was given his education. He learned the trade of steam fitter and, while he liked it and worked steadily in the complete confidence of his employers, there never was a day that he did not want to be a patrolman. This desire was gratified, his appointment as patrolman being made on February 1, 1899. He is stationed in the Second Precinct, where he is highly regarded by his superiors and liked by those of the public with whom he comes in contact.

ALFRED KILLIP is a native of Rochester and was educated at Public School 18 and at the Rochester Business Institute, emerging from the latter a well equipped bookkeeper. Successful in clerical work he preferred the duties of the police, easily qualifying, and was appointed a patrolman on July 1, 1904. He is a traffic officer in the Second Precinct and is one of the best known members on the force. Several acts of especial merit have increased his reputation with his superiors. Mr. Killip is a member of the Valley Lodge, F. of A. M., Locust Club and Police Benevolent Association. He is unmarried.



ALFRED KILLIP



JAMES H. ANDERSON

THOMAS REAGAN was a appointed patrolman on the police force on November 19, 1898. He is a native of this city and received his education at Public School No. 2, after which he learned the trade of shoe maker. He is detailed to duty on the patrol wagon at Police Headquarters. Mr. Reagan is widely known in the city and has hosts of friends. He is deeply interested in sports of all kinds, and though of middle age, plays several games with skill and youthful enthusiasm. He married Margaret A. Leeder and has seven children, Thomas L., Clarence H., Michael W., Albert J., Grace A., Ruby M. and Margaret A.



THOMAS REAGAN

JAMES H. ANDERSON is a native of the Empire State, being born in the thriving village of Spencerport and received his education in its public schools. On arriving at manhood, he earned a livelihood as a teamster and devoted many years to his calling. He had long desired to become identified with the Police Department and his aspirations were realized on July 1, 1904, when he first donned the uniform of blue. Mr. Anderson married Miss Dora Herdendorf and one child Dora, completes the family.



WILLIAM HENRY HEINLEIN

WILLIAM HENRY HEINLEIN, appointed patrolman on the police force on June 17, 1901. Was born in the town of Henrietta, Monroe County, N. Y., and there, and in the parochial schools of Rochester he received his education. Fond of horses and with a rare ability to handle them, he was employed as a driver when he became ambitious of becoming a patrolman, and had the desire gratified. Mr. Heinlein is stationed in the First Precinct, where he is well and widely known. He married Caroline Sellinger. Their union has been blessed with one child, to whom was given the name of Evelyn.

JOHN WILLIAM KENEALY was born in Rochester, and educated in St. Patrick's Parochial school. Interested early in electricity, he sought employment where his taste could be gratified and at the time of his appointment as patrolman on the police force, was busy as an electrical worker. His appointment came to him on January 31, 1899. He is stationed in the First Precinct, where faithful service has won the appreciation of his superiors. Mr. Kenealy married Emma Nagle. Their union has been blessed with one child, to whom the name of Edward W. has been given.



JOHN WILLIAM KENEALY



JAMES B. MCENEANY

HENRY DERN, appointed chauffeur on the police force on May 31, 1901, has a military record and is a veteran of the Spanish War, having enlisted as a regular in 1899 in the Second Cavalry and served two years and eight months with the army of occupation in Cuba, rising to the rank of sergeant. He was born in New York, but received his education in this City. Immediately prior to his joining the police, he was employed as a chauffeur. He is stationed in the First Precinct. Mr. Dern is a member of the Spanish War Veterans. He married Rose M. Hughes.

JAMES B. MCENEANY is a native of Marion, Wayne County, N. Y., and received his education in its common schools. Interested in mechanics and possessing steady nerves, he was known as an exceptionally cool, clever chauffeur before he won his appointment as chauffeur on the police force. His appointment was made on May 31, 1906. He is stationed in the First Precinct, where many friends give him daily greetings. Mr. McEneany married Fannie M. Webber. Their union has been blessed with three children, Helen, Catherine and James.



HENRY DERN



CHARLES HENRY MAHONEY

CHARLES EDWARD MAHONEY, was appointed patrolman on the police force on August 16, 1907. He is a native of Rochester and received his education at St. Mary's Parochial School. For seven years he was a member of Company A., Third Regiment, and was a member of Governor Hughes's bodyguard, with the Eighth Separate Company, at the St. Louis Fair. His military experience gave him a desire to become a member of the police force and his splendid record assisted him in realizing that ambition. He is stationed in the First Precinct. Mr. Mahoney married Elizabeth Rossenbach.

JAMES B. BENNETT, appointed patrolman on the police force on December 22, 1899, was born at Port Byron, Cayuga County, N. Y., and received his education in the public and parochial schools of Canandaigua. At the time of his admission to the police force he was employed in railroad construction and doing well, with good promise ahead of him. He is stationed in the First Precinct and enjoys the confidence of his superiors. He is well liked. Mr. Bennett some years ago was united in marriage to Elizabeth Agnes Sheehan.



JAMES B. BENNETT



LOUIS G. LOCHNER

LOUIS G. LOCHNER was born in Rochester and given his schooling in the parochial school of Holy Redeemer Church. Employed steadily and winning confidence from every employer, he became a motorman with the Rochester Railway Company, remaining as such until on October 1, 1905 he was successful in winning an appointment as patrolman on the police force. He is stationed in the First Precinct, highly regarded by his superiors and well liked by the public. Mr. Lochner is a member of the C. M. B. A. He married Julia M. Seibert and has two children, Florian and Dorthy.

JOHN PETER MATHEIS, Turnkey at Central Police Station, since November, 1910, was appointed patrolman on May 1, 1901, shortly after his honorable discharge from the Third Pennsylvania Volunteers, in which regiment he had served during the Spanish War. He was born in Rochester and after attending his public schools completed his education at St. Paul's Business University, St. Paul, Minn. For two years he was manager of the Matheis Carpet House at St. Paul. Mr. Matheis is unmarried. He is a member of the Sons of Veterans, L. Boardman Smith Camp, U. S. W. V. and Court Pride of Flower City, F. of A.



JOHN PETER MATHEIS



AGNES BLANEY MILLER

AGNES BLANEY MILLER, Matron at Central Police Station since June 26, 1903, is as widely known for her gentleness and sympathy for those who come within her charge, as for a quiet firmness on occasions when firmness is necessary. She is a native of Buffalo, and after completing her education in one of its high schools, became a teacher. Later she joined the staff of the State Industrial School in Rochester, holding her position there until she went to the Central Police Station. Mrs. Miller is married and has one child, Lofland Carlisle. She is a member of the Ladies Catholic Benevolent Association.

MARY BARBARA KERBER received her appointment as matron at Central Police Station in February, 1910. Her experience, ability and womanly qualities fitting her excellently for the place by her faithfulness and cheerful performance of every duty. She has abundantly proved the wisdom of her choice. Mrs. Kerber is a native of this city and in the parochial school of St. Joseph's Church she received her education. She is married and has five children, to whom have been given the names of Edward, Leo, Raymond, Herbert, and Florentine.



MARY BARBARA KERBER



HON. JOHN H. CHADSEY

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PROMINENT among the attorneys and public officials of Rochester is numbered Hon. John H. Chadsey, a native of this State and for the past twenty years a resident of this City. He was born in Balston, Saratoga County, N. Y., March 1, 1845. His education was received in both private and public schools in Schnectady and the Coopers Institute in New York City. At the age of eighteen years he entered the law office of John Graham of New York City, a noted criminal lawyer, and was admitted to the bar three years later in his twenty-first year. He remained in New York City until February, 1871, when he removed to St. Mary's, Kansas, and became a member of the firm of Sedgwick and Chadsey in the land, law and insurance business, having exclusive charge of the law department. A few years later he returned from the West and made his home in the village of Penfield, Monroe County, continuing his practice of law in Penfield and Rochester.

In 1891 with his wife and three children he came to this City, where he has since resided. He has become widely known throughout Monroe and adjoining counties, and is a prominent member of the Masonic order and is affiliated with the Rochester City Lodge, Knights of Pythias.

In politics Mr. Chadsey has been identified with the Republican party since casting his first vote for U. S. Grant in 1868. He was a member of the County Committee of Monroe County for four years, and during that time he acted as Treasurer of the organization. He was chosen as delegate from the 1st district to secure the nomination of Hon. William H. Adams for Justice of the Supreme Court; and four years later was a delegate from the 3rd district when Judge Adams was renominated.

At the Republican City Convention held October 12, 1901, he received without solicitation the nomination for Police Justice of Rochester and was elected by a substantial majority, running ahead of the ticket 487 votes. Six years later he was renominated and elected for the second time. During the period he has been in office, the Police Department has attained a marked growth, the number of arrests increasing from 4,000 year 1901 to over 11,000 for the year ending 1910.

In 1907 Judge Chadsey established a woman's court. This met with marked success and has been modeled after in other courts throughout the State. Probation and the parole system plays an important part in the dispensing of justice.

The Police Court of the City of Rochester has the reputation of being one of the best regulated courts in the State, having competent clerks, stenographers, investigator and attendants.



ROY P. CHADSEY

ROY P. CHADSEY was born in the village of Penfield, Monroe County, N. Y., on July 10, 1874. He received his earlier education in the Penfield Union School and after removing to Rochester he completed his education at No. 3. Grammar School, the Rochester Free Academy and the University of Rochester. After which he entered his father's law office as clerk, and later he was employed in the office of the Eastman Kodak Co. Mr. Chadsey was appointed Deputy Police Court Clerk on March 6, 1902, and two years later was promoted to the Police Court Clerkship which position he now holds. He is a member of the Delta Upsilon Fraternity of the University of Rochester, the Knights of Pythias and Genesee Golf Club. Mr. Chadsey is married and lives at 56 Tacoma Street. They have one child Miss Lois T. Chadsey.

JOHN ALBERT ARTH, a native of the Empire State, was born in Rochester and received his education in its parochial schools. He early developed a taste for mercantile life and still conducts an establishment in addition to filling very acceptably the position of deputy clerk in the Police Court. That he is an efficient officer, the fact that he has held the situation for five years (November 1, 1906, the date of his appointment), will testify. Mr. Arth is an enthusiastic member of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks and the Acme Club. He is unmarried.



JOHN ALBERT ARTH



ANDREW WEIDMAN

ANDREW WEIDMAN Police Court Investigator since March 1, 1902, was born in Rochester and in the public schools of the Flower City received his education. On leaving school, he entered the employ of one of the large shoe manufactories and soon became a very proficient workman, position he held for some time. Mr. Weidman married Miss Mary Allen, their coterie of friends always find a cordial greeting at their home. Still he finds time to attend the sessions of the Elks and Masonic Lodges of which he is an ardent member.

WILLIAM NEARY was appointed by Judge Chadsey, as his Confidential Clerk, May 1, 1908. Mr. Neary was born at Ogdensburg, St. Lawrence County, N. Y., April 6, 1866; graduated at the Gouverneur Wesleyan Seminary in 1885; admitted as an Attorney and Counselor in 1889, and has been actively engaged in the practice of law at Gouverneur, N. Y., where he held different public offices, and since January, 1902, in Rochester with offices in the Powers Block. In 1889, he married Gertrude Alcott and has two children, Margaret Jocelyne Neary and E. Alcott Neary, students at the University of Rochester.



WILLIAM NEARY



PETER LAUER

PETER LAUER Court Interpreter and Attendant, was born in Rhein, Prussia, November 10, 1841, and was educated in the common and parochial schools of Germany and New York. After leaving school and before joining the force, he was a trusted employe of the N. Y. C. R. R. He has been a member of the Police Department since February 12, 1870, the date of his appointment. In the course of forty years he has seen wonderful growth and development and has performed service both as patrolman and detective rendering valuable service to the department. Mr. Lauer is happily married, his wife's maiden name being Katherine Leonard. Four daughters have blessed their union. He is affiliated with the C. M. B. A. and the P. B. A.

MILTON JEROME TRIPP comes of Old New England Stock and is himself a son of the Empire State, having been born in Rochester. He attended its public schools and qualified himself for a teacher, following this profession for several years. He has acceptably filled the chair of Police Court Stenographer since February 9, 1898. Mr. Tripp is married.



MILTON JEROME TRIPP



FRANCIS A. FOLEY

FRANCIS A. FOLEY has the distinction of being the youngest, and the the last to be appointed to a position in the Police Department. He was assigned as stenographer to the Inspector, May 1, 1911. Mr. Foley was born in Rochester, November 6, 1892, and on arriving at "school age," he attended the Immaculate Conception School after which, a course in a Business Institute. On leaving College, he was for two years with one of the large manufacturing concerns of the city, in the capacity of stenographer.



MARSH N. TAYLOR



CHARLES HART

CHARLES HART is a veteran of the police force, still active and proud of his uniform. He is a native of Germany, but was brought across the Atlantic to Rochester in his boyhood by his parents and received his education in the parochial and public schools of this City. His appointment as patrolman was made on July 1, 1876. His service has been most faithful and his friends innumerable. On July 1, 1897, he was detailed as Police Court attendant and has served as such day by day ever since. By trade he was a cabinet finisher and prior to joining the force was foreman in a cabinet factory. Mr. Hart is a widower.

WILLIAM A. METZGER was born in Buffalo, but his parents moving to Rochester, he received his education at Public School No. 5, in this City. He enlisted and served five years in the United States Army. Returning here, he became a member of the Fire Department, but preferring the semi-military character of police duty, sought to become a patrolman on the police force. His appointment was made on December 13, 1887. He is one of the best known patrolman in the First Precinct. Mr. Metzger is a member of the C. M. B. A., and C. R. and B. A. He married Bridge G. Maxey.



WILLIAM A. METZGER



ALDEN T. BUDD

WILLIAM HENRY DAVENPORT is a native of Rochester and in the public schools of this city received his education. At the time that an ambition of years was realized in his appointment as patrolman on the police force, an event which occurred on April 26, 1895, he was employed as an agent. Mr. Davenport is a member of the Masonic Order and in the affairs of his lodge takes an exceptionally deep interest. He is stationed in the Sixth Precinct. The maiden name of Mrs. Davenport was Lovina Martin. They have no children.

ALDEN T. BUDD was born in Greece, Monroe County, N. Y., and received his early education in its schools and later in Rochester. He attended Satterlee Collegiate Institute, and then went back to the farm in Greece. The high regard in which he was held in the town is evidenced by his election to the position of collector and assessor. He was appointed patrolman on the police force of Rochester on March 26, 1895 and is stationed in the Sixth Precinct. He is a member of the Knights of Malta and Locust Club. Mr. Budd married Miss Nettie Foster, and has three children, Maude, Alberta and Vincent.



WILLIAM HENRY DAVENPORT



PERRY R. SHOVE

WILLIAM S. GODDARD, appointed patrolman on the police force June 8, 1900, served four years, five months and twenty-two days in the days of the Civil War, with the 18th Ohio Militia, 11th Ohio Independent Battery and Fifth U. S. Veteran Volunteers. He is a member of the G. A. R. Mr. Goddard was born in salem Township, Meigs County, Ohio, and coming to Rochester at the end of the Civil War, held several positions of trust before entering the employ of the Park Board on June 9, 1895. He is a member of the Masonic order and the Locust Club. He is unmarried.



WILLIAM S. GODDARD

PERRY R. SHOVE is one of the members of the Rochester Police Department who can boast of a long war record, having served in the Civil War from 1861 to 1865, receiving an honorable discharge. For nineteen years he was in the Fifty-fourth Regiment in the Grand Army. He is a native of Utica, but being brought early to Rochester, received his education in this city and here also learned his trade of painter. He was appointed patrolman on the police force on July 3, 1893. He married Miss Ella F. Judd, and by her has two children, William P. and Catherine.



JOSEPH BRIGGS SMITH

JOSEPH BRIGGS SMITH, superintendent of the Bureau of Police Telegraph, was born in this city attending its public schools and later a technical education in Pennsylvania. He joined the bureau as an operator, July 14, 1888, but resigned his position in June, 1905 to become auditor of the Northern Cambria Street Railroad Co. of Pennsylvania. Later he was secretary-treasurer of the Indianapolis and Louisville Traction Co. He was re-appointed as Superintendent of the bureau on December 16, 1908. He installed the first police signal lights in Rochester and other saving devices. He is a member of the International Association of Municipal Electricians.

THOMAS SWANTON, operator in the Bureau of Police Telegraph, is a native of this city and received his education in the public schools. He learned to be a telegraph operator in early life and followed it steadily with one or two large commercial companies until he took advantage of an opportunity to reach his present position. His appointment was made on October 31, 1892. Steady and faithful, he is held in high regard and has the absolute confidence of his superiors in the department of Public Safety. Mr. Swanton is unmarried.



THOMAS SWANTON



WILLIAM HENRY KARNES

WILLIAM HENRY KARNES was appointed operator in the Bureau of Police Telegraph on August 10, 1896, and through the years that have followed has been found faithful and diligent in the performance of his duties. He was born in Rochester and educated in the public and parochial schools, after which he entered one of the large shoe factories in the city and learned his trade. Mr. Karnes married Mary Louise Feeney and their union has been blessed with three children to whom have been given the names of William Irving, John Stuart and Mary Louise.

CHARLES V. GINDER received his appointment as operator in the Bureau of Police Telegraph on May 1, 1908. He is a native of this city and received his education in the public schools. He learned the trade of tailor and pursued it until his appointment was made. He is unmarried. Mr. Ginder has been found faithful by his superiors, and those who call for connection with any police telephone are given prompt and cheerful service. The exacting nature of his duties have no unkind effect upon a naturally and cheerful disposition.



CHARLES V. GINDER



CHARLES BEVERIDGE TUTTY

CHARLES BEVERIDGE TUTTY, operator in the Bureau of Police Telegraph, since December 1, 1910, was born in Dublin, Ireland, and educated in the Christian Brothers' School of that city. Crossing the Atlantic he made Rochester his home and entered newspaper work. For six years he was sporting editor of the "Herald" and for five years was news editor of the "Times." The ability which made him a successful newspaper man, assists him in his new position. Mr. Tutty married Maura May Samson, and has six children, Charles, James, Laura, Helen, John and Margaret.

EMMETT HARRIS temporarily appointed operator in the Bureau of Police Telegraph on March 1, 1911, is a native of Rochester and was educated in the parochial and high school of the city. At the time of his appointment he was employed as an information clerk. He served for several years in the Second Separate Naval Division of the National Guard, from which when he retired he was given an honorable discharge. Mr. Harris married Gertrude A. Clark and has two daughters, Marion Gertrude and Mary Grace.



EMMETT HARRIS

Facts About Rochester

Population, 225,000.

Erie Canal transportation facilities.

Public schools, 36; parochial schools, 22.

Students at Mechanics Institute, 3,000.

Assessed valuation, 1910, \$161,000,000.

Churches, 137.

Valuation in building permits issued in 1910, \$10,082,528.

New State Armory.

Hotels, 57; hospitals, 9.

Arc electric lamps, 4,171.

Large convention and exposition hall.

Value of woodworking output, over \$6,000,000 annually.

Customs receipts, year ending December 31, 1910, \$531,312.08.

Mean altitude above sea level, 510 feet.

Large and splendidly equipped public market.

Average death rate, five years, 15.03 per 1,000.

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Seven steam railroads and seven trolley roads entering city.

Over 149 miles of trolley roads inside city.

City water pipe, 381 miles; hydrants, 4,521.

Headquarters international Congress of Inventors.

Annual output of beer and ale, 675,000 barrels.

Car ferry making round trips daily the entire year between Port of Rochester and Cobourg, Canada.

Reynolds library, 67,000 volumes; Law Library, 35,000 volumes; other libraries, 68,000 volumes.

Manufacturing establishments, 1,669.

Branches of manufacture, 336.

Local stocks listed with Rochester Stock Exchange, \$75,250,977.

Theatres, 8; fire companies, 30; firemen, 325; policemen, 304.

Forty-two boot and shoe manufactories; total output, \$16,000,000.

Total output leather and leather manufacturing goods, \$8,000,000.

Total output high-grade men's clothing in 1910, \$22,000,000.

Largest custom fur tanning establishment in the United States.

Largest thermometer plant in the world.

Largest optical works in the world.

Center of world for manufacture of temperature and pressure indicating, recording and regulating instruments.

Largest manufactory for photographic apparatus and supplies in the world.

Sixty per cent. of the carbon paper and typewriter ribbon made in United States is made in Rochester.

Employees in factories and workshops, over 75,000; wages paid annually, over \$10,000,000.

Capital in manufacturing and wholesale trade, over \$90,000,000.

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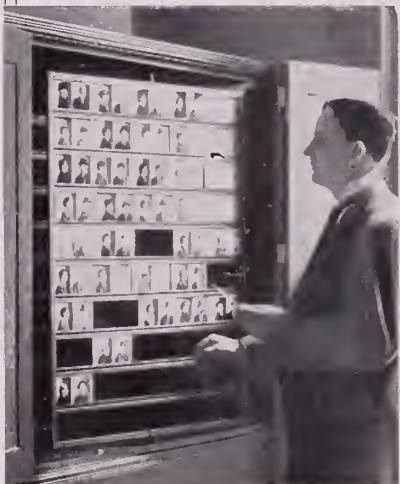


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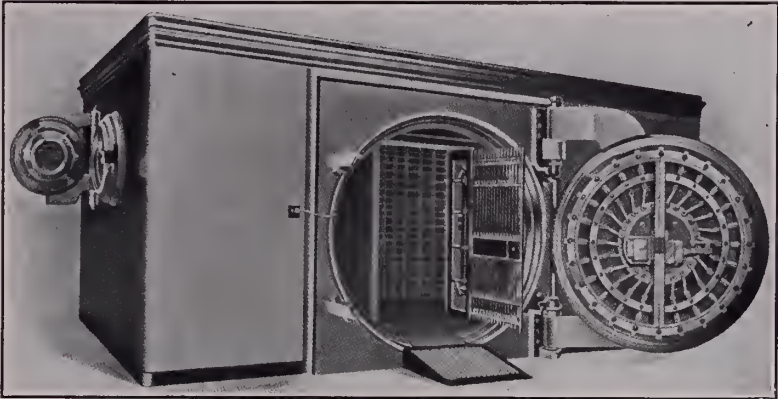
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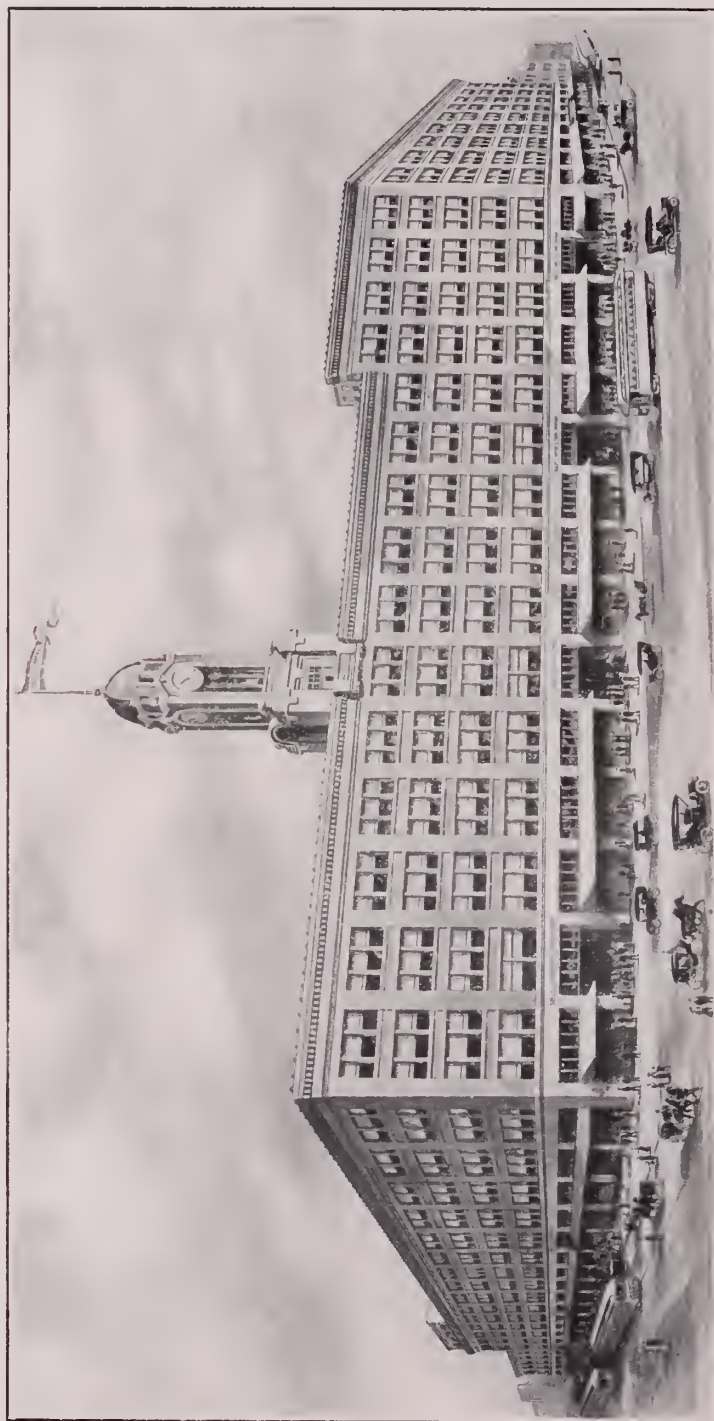
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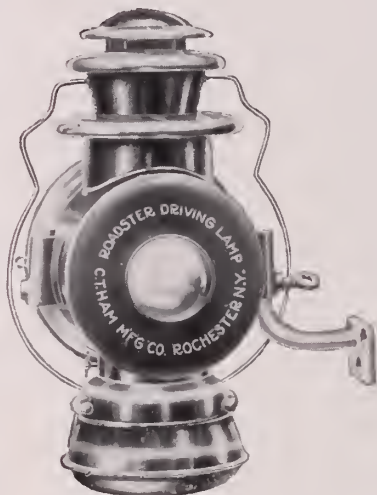
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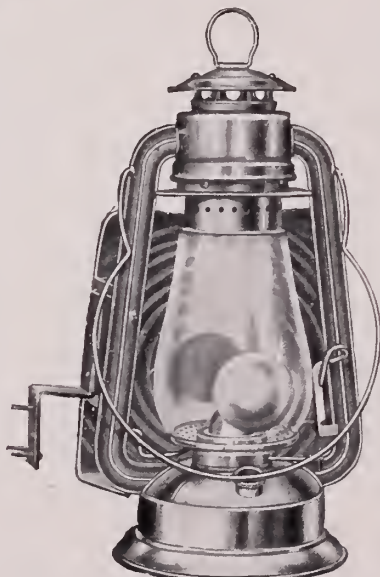

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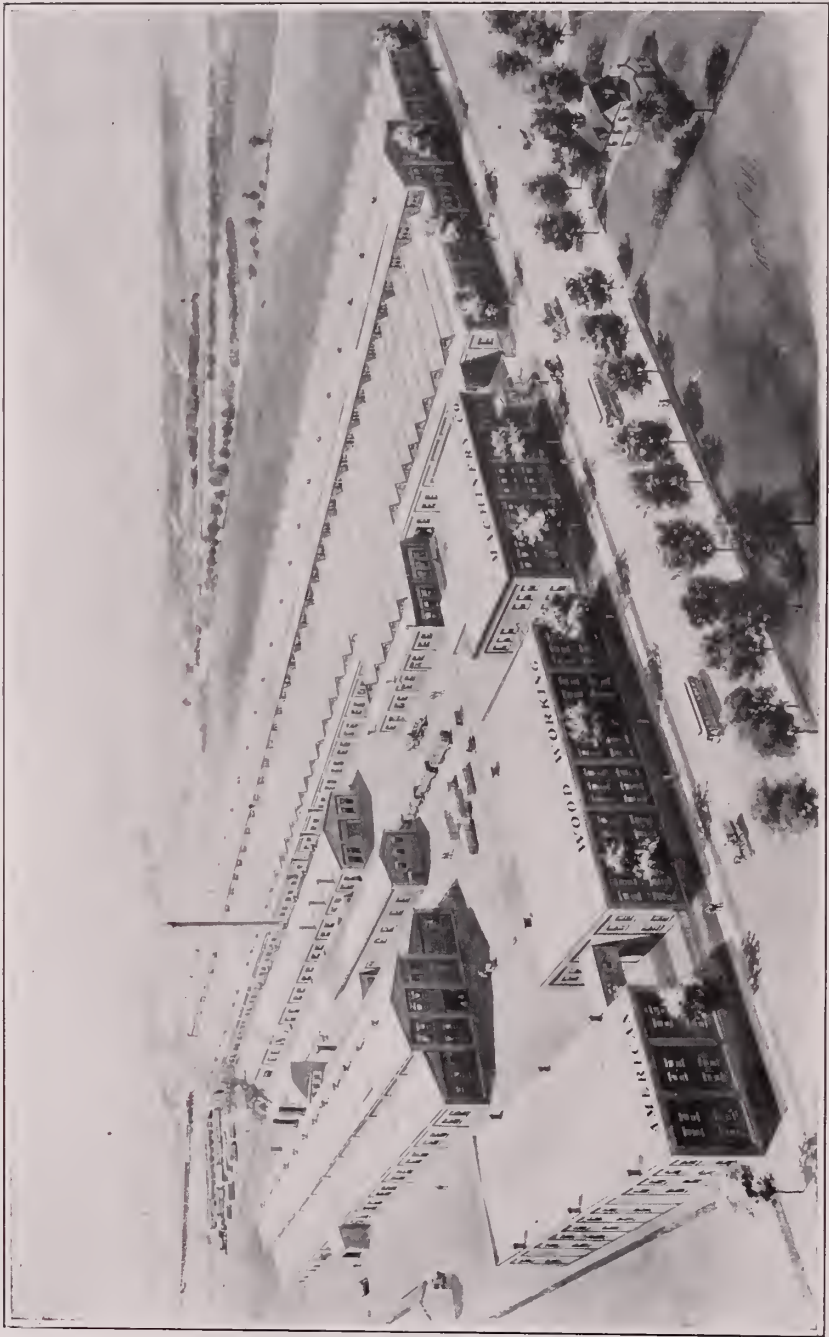
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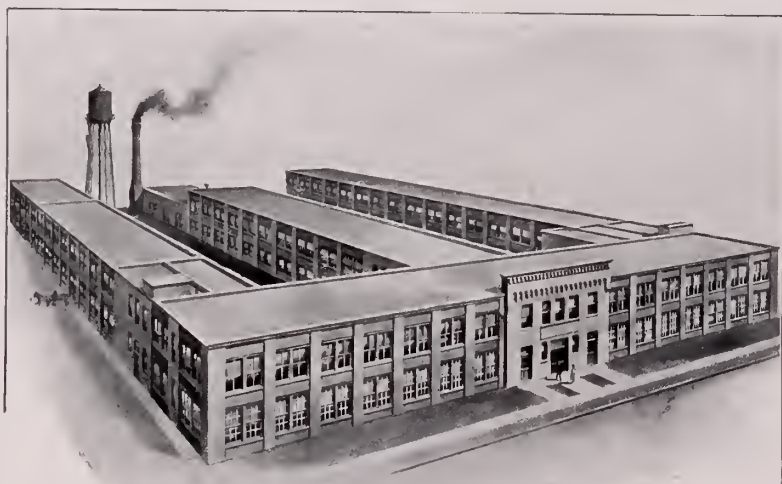
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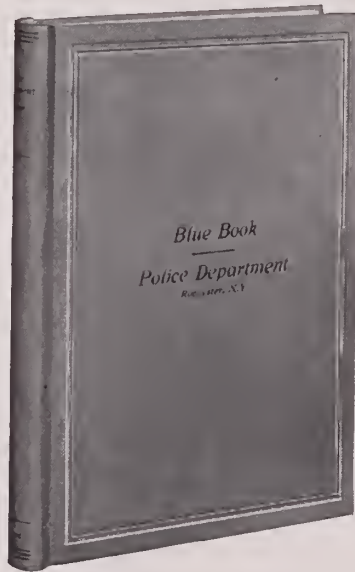
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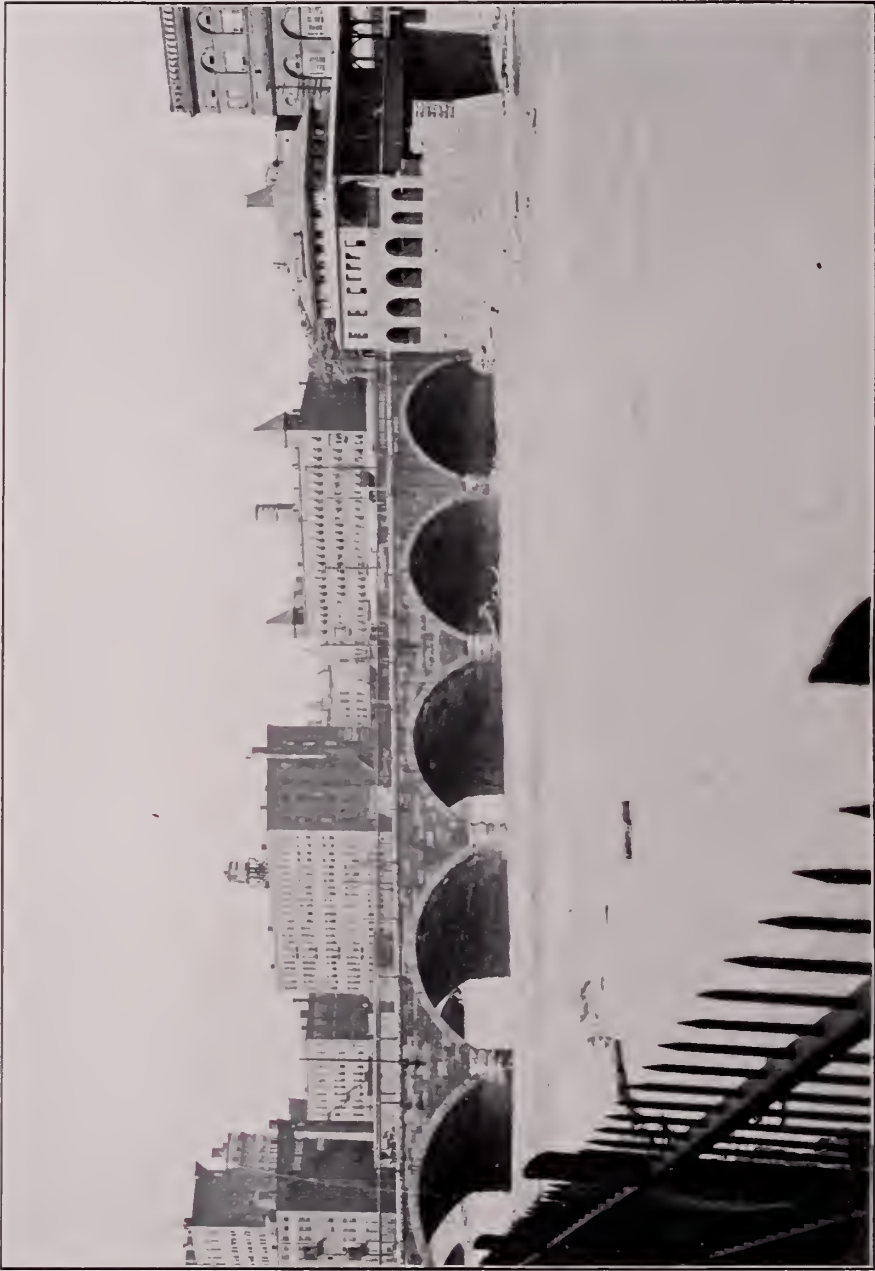


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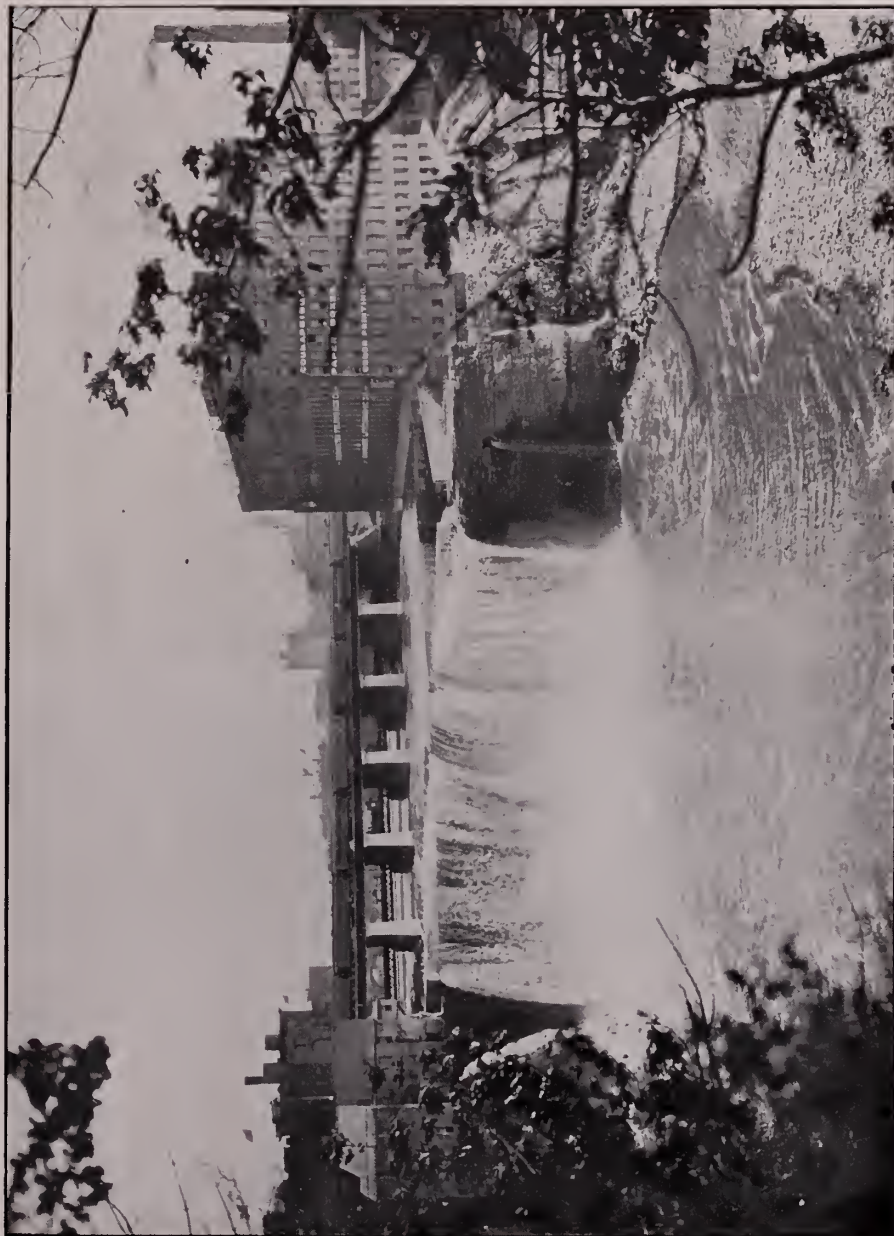


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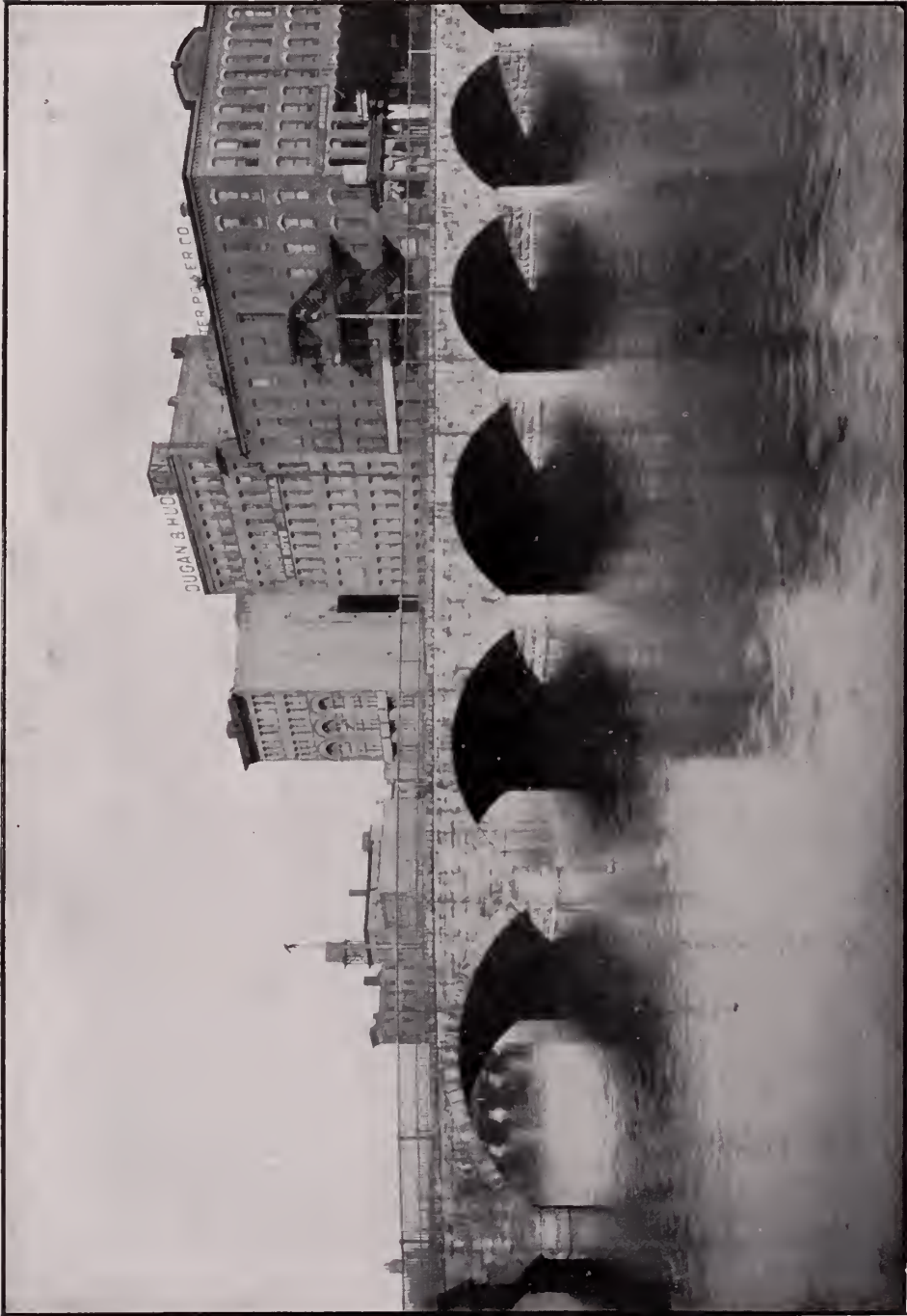
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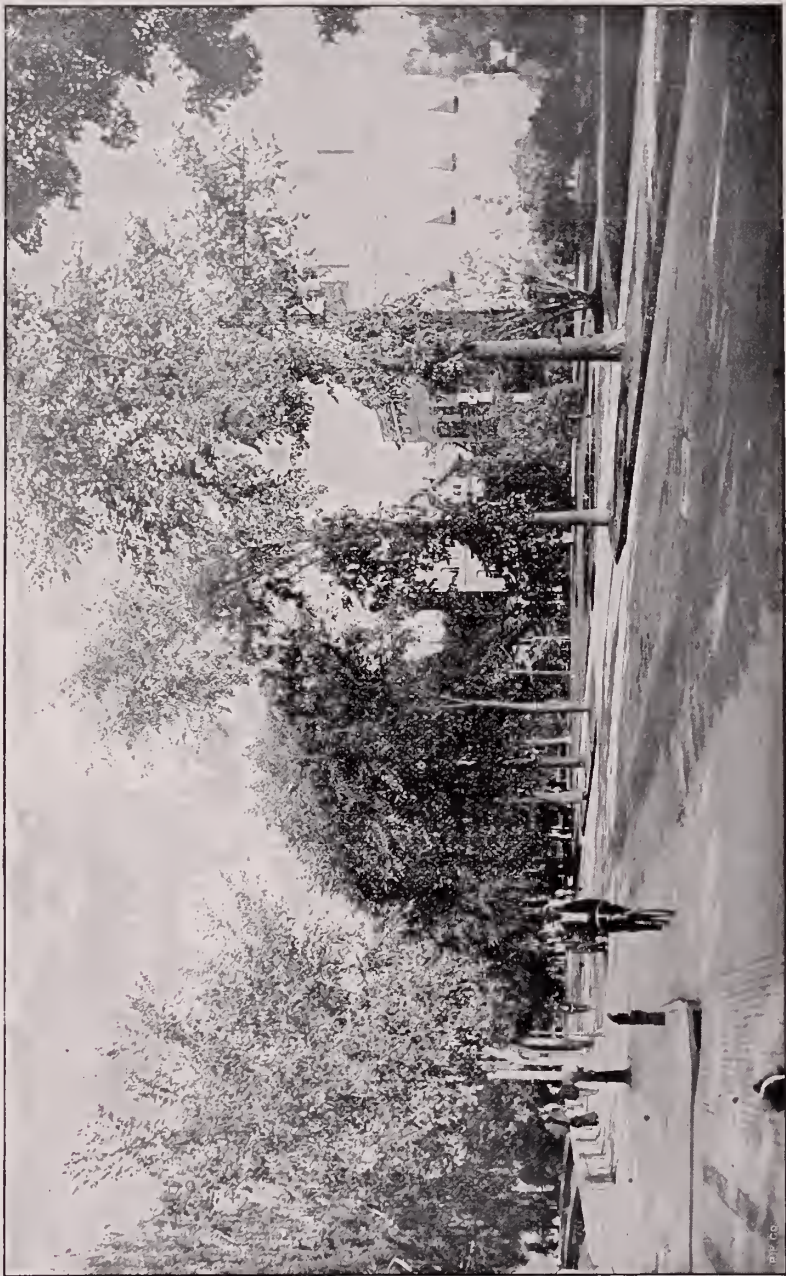
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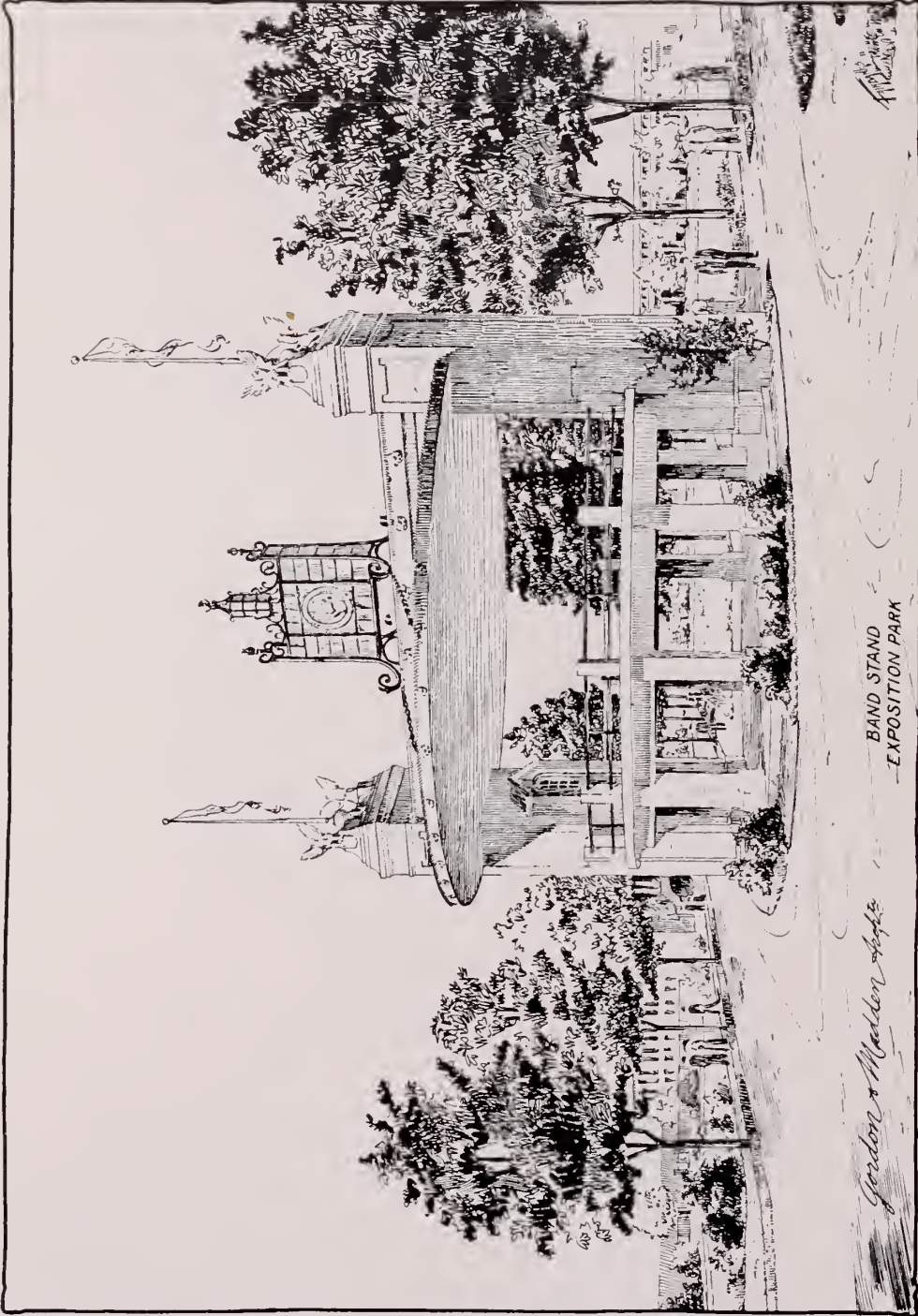
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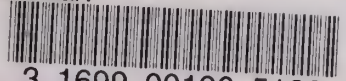
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